

## Port Arthur's Rights in Texas' Development Traced by Col. Duff Before Y. M. B. L.

PORT ARTHUR, a dream city raised in two decades from wild swamp marshes, gleamed anew Monday night as a wonder city of the future to Port Arthurians who have toiled and hoped to make realities of dreams men had of a great city and world port here.

In words forceful through their simplicity and clearness, Col. R. C. Duff, president of the Waco, Trinity, Beaumont and Sabine railroad, revealed to over 300 men in this city a Port Arthur destined to be second to no other in the United States, waiting only for Port Arthurians to take factors nature is handing them.

"When Texas and the great southwest are as old as the Atlantic seaboard and the east, this state and section will make the other look like 30 cents. Farmers, miners, oil producers—busy men humping themselves for the past two decades have wrought a development in Texas and the

southwest that is marvelous. Put 20,000,000 people into this territory, which now has only one-tenth of that number, and Port Arthur and every other Texas port would be congested every day of the year," Col. Duff declared.

"Behind the 800 miles of gulf coast from New Orleans to Brownsville lies the greatest producing section of the universe. It is the treasury of the earth. Yet, west of New Orleans, only two ports are showing any substantial development—the ports of the Sabine district and the ports of the Houston-Galveston district. What we propose to do is to give these ports railroad lines directly into the interior, tapping the heart of this vast producing area.

"The Atlantic seaboard has a dozen ports, served by intricate railroad systems. The Gulf, west of New Orleans, only two. Can't you see we've got to take the bridge off the Gulf ports for the benefit of posterity? The current

of traffic is setting in our direction. At other ports where only one car out of three coming loaded goes back loaded, we could send out three cars out loaded with products from our industries and raw materials and finished products imported from foreign lands.

"When the government permits me, I propose to build a railroad from Port Arthur back into the center of the great Texas producing section, crossing and intersecting all the great southwestern transportation systems so that it will be consistent with those roads to join us in rates to and from the Gulf of Mexico to interior points, making Port Arthur and the Sabine district equally accessible to the interior as our sister ports 100 miles to the west now are.

"I am confident the Interstate Commerce commission will grant the certificate of permission to build the pro-

posed railroad into Port Arthur, upon the terms prayed for in the application. Denial of the petition by the commission does not conclude the case. Nothing is ever settled until it is settled right. We can go back to the commission any number of times, and the commission can save itself a great deal of trouble by giving the certificate now.

"The tentative report of the Interstate Commerce commission examiner as submitted on September 6 and now pending before the commission, recommends that we be granted a certificate to build from Livingston to a point on the Neches river, two miles north of Port Neches, which happens to be in a swamp covered with water. This is unsatisfactory to us, and we desire to come into Port Arthur and West Port Arthur with our line, as originally petitioned.

"The commission will set the matter down for oral argu-

ment, and we will go before them and show why we should be permitted to come into Port Arthur. We intend to open up the door to successful course for our project, and with your splendid efforts to help, I am sure we will not fail. That is why I'm in Port Arthur, to acknowledge my gratefulness to you for your co-operation and help, which I know will continue."

In opening his address, Col. Duff thanked the Port Arthur Young Men's Business League for its splendid assistance. A resolution from the league in connection with its work for the Duff line, is now on file, and has received and will receive further notice from the Interstate Commerce commission, he said.

"The potential force of 400 active, energetic young men, organized, with established means to combine influence, force and capital, can accomplish whatever they determine

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## ITALIAN SHIP, CARGO, SUNK IN CANAL

### SHORT STORIES

Facts With Frills, Facetious And Otherwise By "S. S."

School again.

Too told to go swimming. Nat's closed.

Straw hats still lingering on some heads.

Cooler weather—coffee consumption booming.

Chief LaFosse in market for new fire truck.

Moonlight on the lake scintillating these nights.

P. A. enthusiastic over Col. Duff's speech last night.

Ed Leamon back from three weeks' vacation in the east.

First shell unloaded today on new movement test on canal bank.

Churches giving farewell parties to younger members departing this week for college.

Sheet not enough for cover last night. S. S. reached for blankets, but couldn't find 'em.

Major Hulen and Brigadier General Waters coming to Port Arthur Thursday for 11th Engineers inspection.

D. B. Hill back at work in water and sewer office at city hall after two weeks vacation spent at Nacogdoches.

Leon Hahn whistled and rang for the elevator boy to come down and open up the Realty building lift this a. m.

Port Arthurians planning to attend Sons of Confederate Veterans reunion at Port Worth, September 30 and October 1.

Adams building bids not to be announced until next week. Contractors kept vigil all yesterday afternoon in front of Adams store.

Viclan Poyote, superintendent of Terminals for the Texas Company doing fine at Mary Gates hospital after an operation for appendicitis last week.

Emmett Crumpler and Paul Butte are home from Culver, Ind., where both received high honors at the summer camp at Culver Military Academy this summer.

Johnny Curcia made good hauls of speckled trout on a seining expedition to the beach Monday night, but had trouble getting the fish away when he got back to Port Arthur.

"We're going to educate 'em on traffic," says Mayor Logan on parking tickets. "They're already educated. Nothing like driving around the block every two hours to wear off the chalk-mark and park at the old stand again."

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bennett of 2700 Thirteenth street, are entertaining a little nine-piece grand orchestra in their home. She arrived Monday to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Lavender, of Iola, Texas, who are visiting at the Bennett home.

### Weather Report

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight and Wednesday, partly cloudy.

POR EAST TEXAS: Tonight and Wednesday, partly cloudy, probably showers in northwest portion.

POR LOUISIANA: Tonight, fair, Wednesday, partly cloudy.

WINDS ON TEXAS COAST: Light to moderate variable, mostly east.

FORECAST FOR WEST GULF OF MEXICO: Moderate north and northeast and weather partly overcast tonight and Wednesday.

Highest temperature yesterday, 91; lowest, 66; a. m.; 65; p. m.

Year Ago: Today: Highest temperature, 84; low, 61.

Sunrise this evening, 6:21 p. m.

Sunrise tomorrow, 6:01 a. m.

TIDE RECORD

Time of high and low water at Sabine Pass. Light under normal conditions on Wednesday, Sept. 17, taken from tables prepared by the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey:

High tides, 6:06 a. m.; 6:51 p. m.

Low tides, 1:45 p. m.

U. S. TEMPERATURES

Birmingham	84	82
Chicago	85	82
Dallas	86	82
Galveston	86	82
Houston	86	82
Jacksonville	86	82
Levellville	86	82
Memphis	86	82
New Orleans	86	82
New York	86	82
San Francisco	86	82
Shreveport	86	82
Tampa	86	82
Washington	86	82

## Darrow Promises Doomed Boy Aid

### G.O.P. LEADERS, BUTTE, CONFER

Plans for Active Statewide Campaign Formed

### TO AVOID KLAN ROW

Ku Klux Issue to Be Side-tracked By Party

AUSTIN, Sept. 16.—G. O. P. leaders in Texas are assembling in Austin today for a conference this afternoon with Dr. George C. Butte, republican nominee for governor. Plans for an active statewide campaign by Dr. Butte are to be worked out at the conference and it is understood that the nominee will take the stump within the next two weeks.

R. B. Cressler, Brownsville, republican national committeeman; C. A. Boynton, Waco, state chairman; G. N. Harris, Brownwood, member of the state executive committee, and James W. Bass, Austin, internal revenue collector, are among those who will confer with Dr. Butte.

Voice Friendly Feeling

It was said in Austin today that the Texas republicans in the present campaign will have regard for the friendly gestures of pro-klan and anti-Ferguson elements of the democratic party and will avoid any hostile demonstration toward the Ku Klux Klan. This opinion is based on the fact that a large number of local supporters of Felix D. Robertson joined in the welcoming of Dr. Butte upon his return to Austin Sunday night.

## Victory's Garlands Awarded YMBL By Program Speakers

### Inspirational Pep Meeting Brings Cheers and Chrysalization of Port Arthur Spirit

Victory's garlands were laid upon the brow of the Port Arthur Young Men's Business League Monday night when speakers in their organization and in the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping paid tribute to the man-power of the organization, its spirit of co-operation, energy and outlook for community building.

Called to celebrate with Y. M. B. L. their victorious campaign for 400 members, over 30 Port Arthurians, both in and out of the league, gathered at the Pleasure Pier pavilion Monday night for the banquet and most pretentious program ever arranged for a membership meeting of the organization.

Tep Program

The entire program of the function, including the fried chicken dinner, music by the High school orchestra and the Apollo Male Quartette, the boxing rounds staged by juvenile and crack pugilists was in keeping with the virile, peppy punch and "go-get 'em" spirit shown by the Y. M. B. L. in its recent membership drive, and which speakers set forth, characterizes the entire activity of the league.

Imbued with the fighting and progressive spirit of the Young Men's Business League, nothing can stop Port Arthur on its city and community building march," Howard Smith, president of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping, and first speaker on the program Monday night, declared.

"An enormous amount of man-power is represented in the Y. M. B. L. (Turn to Page 2, Column 2.)

## AGED LAWYER TO FIGHT CASE

May Take Sentence to Governor Personally

### LOEBS SYMPATHIZE

Chicago Cases Attract Nationwide Comment

HICARLEVIUOX, Mich., Sept. 16.—Clarence Darrow will leave his retreat at the home of Dr. Albert H. Loeb here within a week to "do all he can" to prevent execution of Bernard Grant, 19-year-old convicted murderer of Chicago.

"I understand there is a petition for a rehearing of the case pending in the Illinois supreme court," Darrow told the United Press today. "I shall certainly do all in my power to prevent execution of this boy."

Is Recuperating

The eminent Chicago lawyer is recuperating in the Michigan woods here from the strenuous trial in which he saved the lives of Nathan Leopold, Jr., and Richard Loeb, confessed slayers of Robert Franks, now serving life sentences at Joliet.

Darrow, who arrived here last week, declared he had familiarized himself with the Grant case before he left Chicago.

"In case the appeal to the supreme court for rehearing fails," Darrow said, "I will appear before Governor Len Small and ask for commutation of Grant's sentence to life imprisonment."

### Jewels Stolen



Mrs. J. S. Cosden, New York society woman (above) was one of those robbed of valuable jewels in the Cosden home on Long Island. Lady Mountbatten and Mrs. Richard Norton who are in the Prince of Wales party also were robbed. Detectives are working on the case. Loss will come close to \$250,000.

## Crew of 17 Sailors Escape as Isonzo, Lumber Go Down

### Skipper, True to Traditions, Stays With Flaming Wreckage to Last; First Ship to Sink in History of Sabine Channel

BY E. H. MCGUIRE The News Marine Editor

Loss running into hundreds of thousands of dollars resulted early today when the Italian motorship Isonzo, loaded with 750,000 feet of lumber out of Orange, caught fire and overturned in the Sabine-Neches ship canal about three-quarters of a mile above the locks.

A flare back from the fires in a donkey boiler in the motorship's engine room set fire to fuel oil supplies, resulting in the disaster, the first in the history of the Sabine district ship channel.

The vessel was beached and sunk in order to check the flames raging in the engine room. No lives were lost.

### Oiler Badly Hurt

An oiler on the Isonzo, Zigarette, on duty in the fire rooms when the explosion and fire occurred, was blown against the bulkhead, but escaped with a severely gashed upper lip and a burned place on his back. He was rushed to Mary Gates hospital in a speed boat owned by Swenson brothers, after receiving first aid aboard the Gulf Refining company's tug Delancey.

When word was flashed out by the ship's wireless operator, Trazzi Gracie, calling for assistance, was picked up by the Port Arthur Wireless station. The Gulf Refining company's tug Delancey sped up the canal to the burning ship and poured water into the engine rooms until shortly before 11 o'clock, when the vessel overturned.

### Loss Down With Rear

The deck cargo of lumber and timbers carried away with a roar and smash when the Isonzo settled over on her port side, against the lake side of the canal. As the ship went over, the crew of about 17 officers and men slid down ropes into a small boat, only the skipper, Captain Ventura, remaining aboard after the others abandoned the ship. The tug Stella, operated by the D. M. Picton Towboat company, standing by to assist with beaching the Isonzo and pumping water into the engine room, took the Italian vessel's crew aboard, later transferring them to the canal spoil bank with the handful of clothes and belongings they were able to save.

Seamen on the sinking ship made a sling for their mascot, a little brown dog first taken aboard the Isonzo in Genoa, Italy, and carefully lowered the pet into the small boat waiting to get the officers and men. When the deck load of lumber threatened to slip and crash over the side of the listing vessel, the men removed the dog to a place of safety on the forecastle, where he nosed about the ankles of the seamen, who, even in the excitement and feverish work of getting possessions together, stopped to pet him.

### Plumber Directs Work

Captain Carlyle Plummer, Sabine pilot, who brought the Isonzo out of Orange late Monday afternoon, and tied the ship up in the canal for the night, remained on board throughout the night and today, assisting Captain Ventura in the work of saving as much of the cargo as possible and getting the vessel into a position where salvaging will be easier. Practically all the work of directing the tugs standing by the Isonzo fell to Captain Plummer.

For months past the Italian motorship has been operating on regular schedule between Port Arthur and Orange and Vera Cruz, Mexico. The ship is one of the largest cargo carriers making Sabine district ports, having a net registered tonnage of 792 tons. The tonnage is not used for the propulsion machinery, but keeps steam up for the steering gear auxiliary machinery. The fires from this small boiler flared back early today, the flames igniting the fuel oil.

### Ship, Equipment, Lost

Licking up out of the engine room, the fire and smoke swept through the officers' quarters, making the furnishings and equipment aft, including the bridge of the ship, a total loss. Machinery in the engine rooms also is believed damaged beyond repair by the intense heat from the burning oil, which spread throughout the engine room. Water pouring in through open port holes in the side of the Isonzo flooded the entire inside of the ship from stem to stern as it listed over on the port side and settled in about 25 feet of water along the lake side of the canal.

Driven by the fire and smoke from the stern of the Isonzo, the officers and crew tried to get as much of the lumber thrown off the midship decks as possible in order to lighten the ship and allow the water pumped into the engine aft to sink the stern. But so fast did the ship list that the stacks of lumber on the decks began to shift and slide, making it hazardous for men to venture midships. Finally, the crew and officers gathered on the highest point left them aboard the sinking ship, the forecastle. About 10 a. m. the Isonzo had settled over so to port that that it was impossible to stand on the decks without help, the rails for support. The port rail raised above the water on the starboard side. The piles of lumber, standing well above the top of the high railing on the main deck, groaned and crushed menacingly, until at last, suddenly, the whole lot tumbled and slid over the side of the ship with a deafening crash. Scores of planks floated down the canal, making navigation dangerous for small boats, but most of the timber remained floating between the sunken ship and the canal bank, a tangled, jagged mass of locked and jammed boards.

### Engine Room Wrecked

Black clouds of smoke that had rolled out of the after end of the ship, trailed off into yellowish puffs, indicating that the flaming oil in the engine room was practically extinguished. The tugs Delancey and Stella shut off their fire pumps, rolled in hose lines, and putting their noses against the starboard side of the Isonzo, started pushing the flooded, overturned ship out of the channel and against the bank.

Not until the fire in the engine room was out, the deck cargo carried away and the tugs started moving against the side of the Isonzo did Captain Ventura leave his ship. Long after every man of the crew was safely landed on the canal bank, the skipper clung to the starboard railing on the foremost point of the forecastle, silently watching the smoke clouds billowing up out of the engine room fade into steam. Then, according to traditions of the sea, the captain slid down a rope into a small boat manned by two of his sailors, the last man to leave his vessel.

### No Arrangements for Crew

Lined up on the canal bank, watching the beaching of the Isonzo, the crew waited for the next event of the day that was, perhaps, the most strenuous and exciting many of them had known in their seagoing experience. Around the seamen and officers were gathered suit cases, canvas sea bags, small wooden ditty boxes and bundles of tied up clothes. In and out among the group trotted the little brown dog, taken aboard the Isonzo many months ago at Genoa for a mascot.

At a late hour this afternoon it could not be learned what arrangements had been made for taking care of the shipwrecked officers and sailors. The injured oiler, Zigarette, was removed to the Seamen's Church Institute

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## BATTLE RAGES IN NORTH CHINA

### Manchurian War Lord's Forces Win Ground

OSAKA, Japan, Sept. 16.—A terrific battle staged today in the north of China, where Chang Tso Lin's Mukden troops came into contact with the Chi Li Army of Wu Pei Monday.

The Manchurian's war lord's forces were every where successful in the initial clash, according to the Osaka Mainichi's correspondent, who is on the battle field.

Chang's troops now completely control the town of Patu Ying Tse, 12 miles east of the important city of Chao Yang, where the fighting started.

## Keeling to Represent Texas At Hearing

AUSTIN, Sept. 16.—Attorney General W. A. Keeling announced today that he will send several of his assistants well be ready next Monday to represent the secretary of state when the case brought by Chas. M. Dickson of San Antonio is called attacking the eligibility of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson to hold the office of governor.

"We will give to this case the utmost attention and sincere application that my department bestows on any other law suit," said Keeling.

## NORTH-SIDE POLICE SUB STATION BLOCKED

Again the police sub-station in the North End is in hot water.

The sub-station hasn't been built yet, and seemingly may never be built, judging from the number of complaints the city commission receives with each fresh location announced.

The Model addition location announced last week promptly brought no end of "kicks," and the commission has now passed the thing back to Police Chief Covington for final decision. Two policemen have been patrolling the North End at night for the last two weeks.

"Believe me, they certainly read that Port Arthur News—even call you up at night about it," said Mayor Logan this morning.

## FLIGHT POSTPONED DUE TO BAD WEATHER

MAYWOOD, ILL., Sept. 16.—The flight of the world army flyers today called off their help to Omaha until tomorrow because of bad weather.

Lieutenant Lowell Smith, commander of the squadron declared that weather conditions were too bad for flying. While the rain had stopped falling, a fog still shrouded over the field and visibility was bad, Smith stated.

## FIRST SHELL

Revetment Activity Begun On 100-Foot Extension

First shell for the 10-foot extension of the revetment test at the foot of El Paso avenue was placed today. About five or six carloads will be used, according to City Engineer J. O. Herpin. The grading was done some time ago, but the shell has just been received.

The 100-foot extension to the existing 50-foot revetment was recommended by the Chamber of Commerce committee, headed by George M. Craig, some time ago. The committee told the city commission that the 50 feet of shell revetment had proven entirely satisfactory in halting erosion of the banks, but that the test should be made on a larger scale in order that there might be no doubts when future bond issues might be proposed.

The commission agreed that the test should be made over 150 feet, and agreed to bear the cost of the additional 100 feet. The new revetment will be allowed a test period of at least 60 days.

## ACCEPTED

Butte's Resignation Okehed U. of T. Board

AUSTIN, Sept. 16.—The board of regents of the University of Texas in session here today unanimously accepted the resignation of Dr. George C. Butte as dean of the law department and immediately elected Ira A. Hildebrand, of San Antonio, to fill the vacancy. The election of Hildebrand is permanent and becomes effective at once. Dr. Butte resigned to accept the republican nomination for governor.

Hildebrand has for the past seven years been a member of the University law faculty. The topics taught by Dr. Butte now are to be taught by Dudley K. Woodward, of Austin, law alumnus of the University.

## Service Men Urged To Greet Officers

All ex-service men, members of the Officers Reserve Corps and members of the Citizens Military training camps, are requested by Mayor J. P. Logan to gather at the Plaza hotel at 7 o'clock Thursday night to meet Brigadier General Jacob F. Wolters and Major General J. A. Hulen of the Texas National Guard. These two officers will reach Port Arthur about 4:30 Thursday evening.

All civic, fraternal and social organizations have also been requested by the mayor to get into communication with him in order that proper representation may be extended the welcome to be given the visitors when they arrive.

## 8 MEN BID ON ADAMS' STORE

10 Others Seek Wiring and Plumbing Contract

Eight general contractors submitted bids yesterday afternoon for the construction of the six-story John R. Adams building on the corner of Austin avenue and Fifth street, while about 10 others submitted bids for the plumbing and wiring.

The bids are now being arranged and tabulated and the name of the successful bidder probably will be announced early next week, Adams said today.

## Chose Missouri Mule To Ride; Was Thrown

GREENVILLE, Sept. 16.—Missouri mules have no respect for the law in Texas.

Patrolman Wiley Smith rounded up a herd of "hard tails" wandering about the suburbs and while jogging back to the corral astride one of the errands, was pitched off and sustained a broken arm.

## INDIAN SOFT DRINK SEIZED BY SLEUTHS

EL PASO, Sept. 16.—Customs officers have discovered a new brand of liquor.

They call it "cacochouan." It's a soft Indian drink with all the kick which the name implies, the officers say.

The liquor was seized in a car as it was being imported across the border.

## POLLARD REPRESENTING HIDALGO TAX PAYERS

AUSTIN, Sept. 16.—Judge Claude Pollard of Houston, attorney for the Hidalgo County Tax Payers' association which is contesting the election of several county officers of Hidalgo county, was in Austin today en route to Edinburg where the cases are set for trial next Monday. The contests are brought on the grounds that the new law prohibiting the giving of aid to voters who do not use the English language, except where infirm, was violated.



FAMOUS RACING CHAMPION SLAIN

Wishap In 150-Mile Turn Claims Jimmy Murphy

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 16.—The body of Jimmy Murphy, champion of all automobile racing drivers of all time, who was killed here Monday afternoon in the 150-mile championship race at the New York State Fair, is on its way to Los Angeles. Accompanying the body are noted racing drivers and champions. Murphy was fighting to clinch the American race track championship when his car crashed. Had he won he was certain of the coveted prize which he won in 1922. Bennie Hill, Murphy's chum, who won second place in the race, announced before leaving for the west that he will retire from the track. All other drivers who took part in the fatal race are aboard the funeral train. Murphy was without relatives except Judge and Mrs. Martin O'Donnell, an uncle and an aunt, from whose Los Angeles home he will be buried Friday.

Y.M.B.L. BANQUET

(Continued from Page 1.) to accomplish, whether it be the building of municipal monuments or railroads. If you will it to be, it will be," Col. Duff set forth in his tribute to the Y. M. B. L. here.

Reviewing the history of his acquisition of about 15 miles of main track, running northwest and southwest through the virgin timber lands of Texas, Col. Duff traced his efforts to build the line into Port Arthur. In order to save the value and assets of the railroad, and keep the communities along the route, including 10 saw mills shipping out between 400 and 500 car loads monthly, from coming to the certain disaster if they lost the railroad facilities, he set out on a two fold campaign, first, to develop the natural resources along the line; and second, to work to bring in new and producing areas.

Col. Duff then told of the Esch-Cummings bill which prevents building of new railroads without the consent of the Interstate Commerce Commission, how he is now going about getting this permission to extend his railroad into Port Arthur, and expressing confidence that he will succeed. Colonel Duff followed this part of his address with a review of the mergers of the great railroad systems, including the plans for the Southern Pacific to take over the Rock Island, and other similar deals.

"Port Arthur is only mentioned once in the report compiled by Prof. Ripley, of Harvard, for plans to consolidate the railroads of the country into about 12 great systems, absorbing the smaller lines, with the object of making competition keener, strengthening the smaller roads and building them into greater systems," Col. Duff pointed out.

"This single mention of Port Arthur is found in groups 18 and 19, where the Ripley report states that in order to provide the Kansas City Southern railroad access to the port of New Orleans, it is recommended that the K. C. S. be merged with the Texas and Pacific. Let the Port Arthur Young Men's Business League get the Ripley report and—I say this with apprehension—see if Port Arthur and ports of the Sabine district have been provided for. Almost before you know it, the proposed consolidation of the rail systems will be solidified."

Under the terms of the Esch-Cummings bill, the Interstate Commerce Commission was instructed to make a study of transportation systems in the United States with a view of grouping these systems. Carrying out this section of the bill, the commission got Professor Ripley, of Harvard University, who has completed the report and submitted it to the commission, Col. Duff explained.

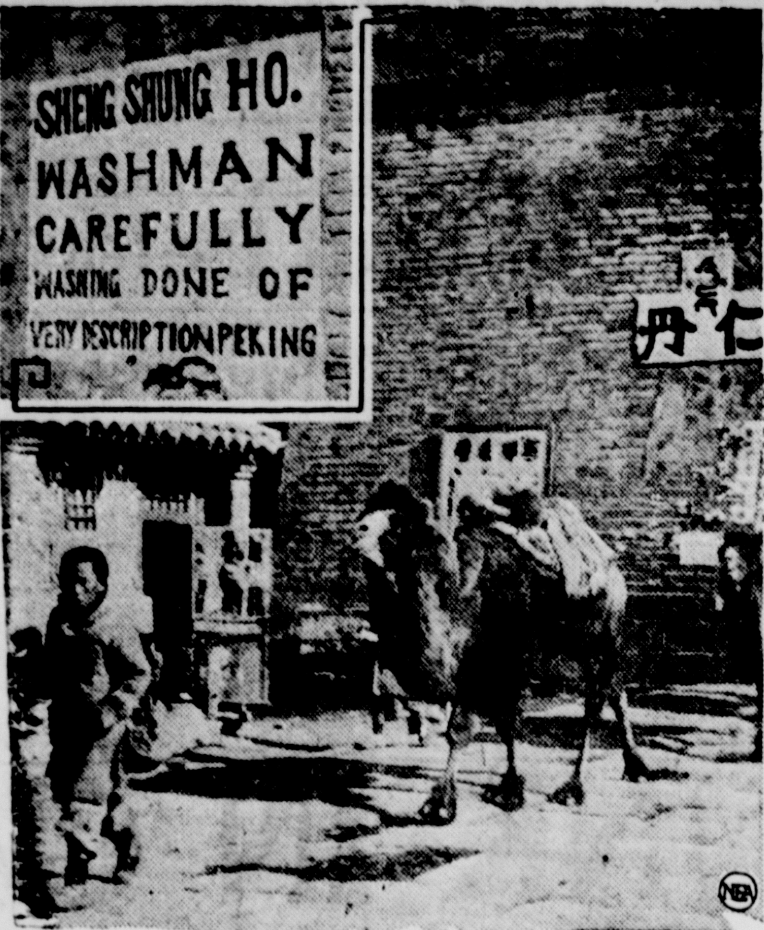
While the congested conditions that formerly resulted in Galveston and Houston, when the cotton crop started moving to the seaboard, have been greatly relieved by building added facilities, some of the cotton still has to be delivered to other Gulf ports for loading aboard ship, Col. Duff said.

"A Houston concern built a cotton compress, cotton loading terminals where three vessels can take cargo at one time, and during one season, handled over 5,000,000 bales. Yet, this concern shipped 120,000 bales through Beaumont, by Port Arthur and into New Orleans to put it on ships. You ask why this cotton didn't come to Port Arthur for exporting. The reason is that the north and south lines have made their maximum haul and maximum earnings allowed when they deliver this cotton to Houston. If they sent it to Port Arthur, they would have to split their earnings with either the Gulf Coast Lines or the Southern Pacific for the Houston-Beaumont haul, and then with the Kansas City Southern for the haul from Beaumont to Port Arthur," Col. Duff said.

Pointing out that his railroad would take care of this ever increasing traffic to the Gulf and back into the interior again, Col. Duff said he intends for the Sabine district ports to pay. The government did not spend \$10,000,000 developing these ports for a few, but for the southwest, he pointed out.

"Traffic must move, or it perishes. If traffic perishes, the people perish. I've seen Port Arthur grow step by step. Its position is the greatest on the Gulf coast. My engineers tell

China's Getting the Habit



They're eating down billboards in the United States—but in China they're just beginning to put them up. Some of the signs are printed in English, but most of them in Chinese.

me they have never seen such an ideal location anywhere in the world. At comparatively small expense, this low lying prairie can be converted into a seaport at will. Take factors nature hands to you, and you've got a city second to none in the United States," Col. Duff declared.

In introducing Col. Duff at the Y. M. B. L. Victory banquet at the Pleasure pier pavilion, where he was the honor guest, Raymond L. Murray, townmaster, declared Port Arthur is the result of dreams, and that Col. Duff does the things he dreams of.

VICTORIES

(Continued from Page 1.) L. Smith declared, "The Chamber of Commerce and Shipping realized the potential possibilities of over 400 young Port Arthurians, and whatever the Chamber of Commerce has accomplished for Port Arthur, a lion's share of the credit is due the Y. M. B. L."

Tribute to Lohmann

Smith recalled that Ed Lohmann, a member of the Y. M. B. L., put over the budget campaign to raise \$40,000 for the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping here last year, and said that every effort of the Chamber of Commerce has succeeded through the assistance and co-operation of the league. On behalf of the board of directors and the entire Chamber of Commerce and Shipping, Smith extended thanks to the Y. M. B. L. and predicted even greater results from the organization in the future.

R. L. Murray, who was introduced to the gathering by A. C. Reichle, president of the Y. M. B. L., as toastmaster, called upon Henry C. Crawford, first president of the league following its organization in Port Arthur over two years ago, as the next speaker. Crawford paid a tribute to Ed Lohmann as "the man to whom is due credit for bringing new industries to Port Arthur." Reviewing the history of the organization of the Y. M. B. L., Crawford said it has filled a long felt need in Port Arthur for lining up and utilizing the young men of the city for community development and building.

Selling Port Arthur in Gotham "The Young Men's Business League has served its purpose as it has gone along. Co-operation and work will see even greater things," was the message given by Dick Lyles, immediate past president, in a brief address at the banquet.

Gene Gifford, general chairman of Port Arthur's first annual Fair, which opens the Pleasure Pier October 15, outlined the plans for the event, and asked for the co-operation and help of the Y. M. B. L. to make the fair a success from every standpoint.

An opportunity to sell Port Arthur to thousands was the way Art L. Burge, manager of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping, set forth the Southern Exposition to be given by all southern states in Grand Central Palace, in New York City, during January, and in which Port Arthur and the Sabine district will have exhibits.

"Port Arthur and all this section should be vitally interested in this exhibit," Burge said. "Thousands of visitors will see the exhibits and get new conceptions of the agricultural, mineral and industrial resources. In fact, even now the north and east are astonished at the industrial development in the south and southwest."

Holcomb Unable to Attend Following Burge's speech, Toastmaster Murray explained that Mayor Oscar Holcomb, of Houston, who was expected to attend the banquet and make an address, wired late Monday afternoon that he could not possibly make the trip as he planned, but sent his regrets and asked for another invitation at some future date.

The fried chicken dinner for the Victory Banquet was prepared and served by the women of the First M. E. church, South, the menu including rolls, potato salad, coffee and pie a la mode. While the guests were gathered in the pavilion, a detachment of players from the High school

hands and orchestras, under the direction of O. L. Lantz, played popular music, and several selections were given by the Apollo Male quartette. Three rounds of snappy boxing were staged by two youngsters introduced by Harry Caughlin, manager of the Port Arthur Athletic club, as "One Round Deutscher" and "Battling Goldberg." The throng attending the banquet roared enthusiastically to their favorites in the ring, and showered the kids with coins at the end of the match.

Battling Sam and Sailor Campbell, popular pugilists with Port Arthur fight fans, next staged three rounds of fast and furious boxing, and again the crowd showed its enthusiasm and enjoyment of the match with cheers and applause. Caughlin refereed both matches.

AGED LAWYER

(Continued from Page 1.) ents of Dickies, are slowly recuperating from the nervous ordeal of their son's trial in Chicago. They are still in confinement, however, and will probably stay at their palatial summer home in Charlevoix for some time, young Loeb said.

Feeling for Family "We want the world to know that our wholehearted sympathy goes out to the Grant family," Ernest Loeb said. "We have just passed through the most tragic experience in our lives in saving Dickie's life and we can appreciate the sorrow and anxiety felt by young Grant's family."

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT REACTION IS SEEN

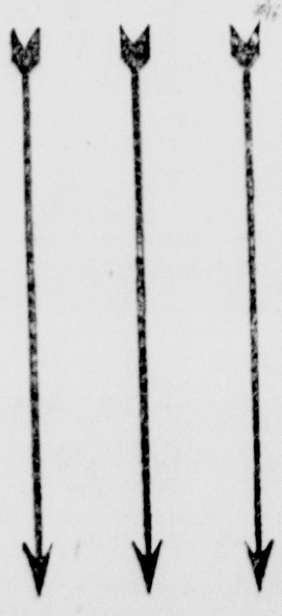
HOUSTON, Sept. 16.—In the opinion of J. Dixie Smith, district attorney of Houston, commutation of the sentence of Bernard Grant, Chicago youth, from death to life imprisonment would result in a general reaction against capital punishment by juries throughout the country. Wide sentiment has been aroused through the contrast of the Grant case with that of Leopold-Loeb and its deterrent effects against capital punishment will be far-reaching, Smith asserted.

NO INFLUENCE ON Juries SEEN

DALLAS, Sept. 16.—Regardless of the final disposition of the Bernard Grant case at Chicago, it will have no effect upon a jury when capital punishment is an alternative, in the opinion of Shelby Cox, district attorney of Dallas.

Publicity of the Grant case and its contrast with the Leopold-Loeb case, it was pointed out, will probably do much to arouse latent opposition to the infliction of the death penalty.

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LOCAL MEN IN POOL CHARGES

Port Arthur Clubs Under Court Fire

BEAUMONT, Texas, Sept. 15.—Port Arthurians who were indicted by the grand jury last week on charges of operating pool halls have all made bonds. Cases were filed in the county court at law against K. I. Ferguson, Albert Kiber, Alfred Bos, Harry Caughlin and Forrest Bangard.

COURT DOCKET

Divorces Filed Constantine Manuel vs. Cecil Manuel.

Marriage Licenses W. E. Foster and Miss Edley Mae Delacambre.

William Simmons and Mrs. Rosetta Helmsy.

Will Hasty and Mrs. R. H. Spikes.

E. A. Ratcliff and Mrs. M. Myrick.

Philip Koonice and Miss Mabel McGowan.

Automobile Licenses William Manson, care G. K. Lomax, Port Arthur, Studebaker.

B. F. Wyer, 2115 Sixth St., Port Arthur, Ford.

R. Griffin, 648 Liberty, Port Arthur, Ford.

DEPUTY SHERIFF RESIGNS POST

BEAUMONT, Texas, Sept. 15.—B. M. Stark, deputy sheriff for the past year and a half, resigned his commission here yesterday. He will enter the employ of the Edison-Luma Motor company sales department at once. No other deputy to take the place left vacant by Stark has as yet been appointed.

DAMAGE SUIT FOR \$5,000 STARTS

BEAUMONT, Texas, Sept. 15.—Hearing of the case of J. E. Wicker against R. Rodnick and wife was held in 58th district court here this morning. Suit for \$5,000 damages was filed by Wicker following a misunderstanding over the occupancy of a house.

"BEST SCOTCH" WOOD ALCOHOL

BEAUMONT, Texas, Sept. 16.—Best quality Scotch whisky being sold in Beaumont at from \$6 to \$10 a quart contains in most cases 21 percent wood alcohol, Sheriff Tom Garner stated this morning. The whisky labeled Canadian Club and purported to be other well known brands is loaded with fusel oil, but has the appearance and taste of good liquor, Sheriff Garner said. He also declared that most of the Scotch liquor received lately was manufactured in New Orleans.

PT. NECHES TO PUSH SCHOOL BONDS

BEAUMONT, Texas, Sept. 16.—The \$146,000 Port Neches school bonds will be sent to the state comptroller within the next few days, according to Miss Mary Sandall, county school superintendent. The bonds were to have been sold. Bids on the sale of the bonds will be opened at the office of Miss Sandall on September 23.

BEAUMONT MAN FOUND DEAD

BEAUMONT, Texas, Sept. 16.—W. M. Holland, night watchman for the Gulf Pine Line machine shops, was found dead at his home, 1455 Forsyth street, here yesterday afternoon. Holland was in bad health and after viewing the body Judge H. H. Reeves returned a verdict of self inflicted pistol wounds.

WHITNEY NORRIS CASE CONTINUED

BEAUMONT, Texas, Sept. 16.—The Whitney Norris alleged murder

case was again continued today until this afternoon, since another case was being tried in the 58th district court and was not concluded as soon as was expected.

Morris Bourque, one of the most important witnesses and said to be an eye witness to the killing did not appear in court yesterday and the case was continued on account of his absence.

TO SHIP CATTLE TO OKLAHOMA SOON

BEAUMONT, Texas, Sept. 16.—First cattle shipments to Oklahoma from Jefferson county will be made about the first of October, according to plans of local cattlemen. It is expected that shipments this year will be unusually heavy, and more than 27,000 head will be sent north within the next 30 days.

KYLE THEATRE CASE CALLED

BEAUMONT, Texas, Sept. 16.—Hearing of the case of J. B. Elliott, Kyle theatre lessee, against Milton Goss, his partner, will be called in 60th district court Wednesday morning. The Kyle theatre here closed a short time ago when employees of the theatre claimed back salaries due them and W. W. Kyle, owner of the theatre alleged \$500 rent is due him also. Elliott, lessee of the theatre also filed a suit against his partner, Milton Goss, alleging he was trying to gain control of his interest.

ITALIAN SHIP

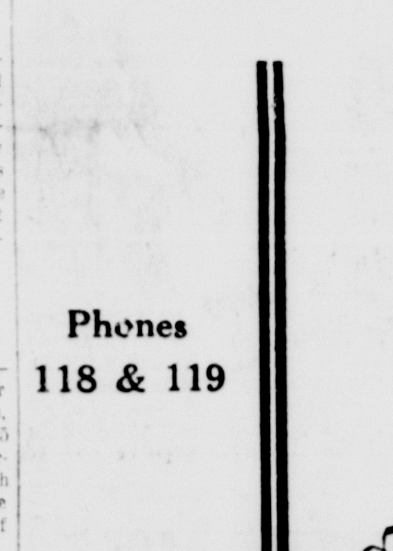
(Continued from Page 1.) after receiving medical attention at Mary Gates hospital, and accommodations at the institute for the orphaned can be provided, Assistant Superintendent Smith said.

W. H. Tipping, steamship agent, of Orange, who handled the Isanzo at Orange, arrived at the scene of the disaster about noon today in a speed boat chartered in Orange for the trip. Captain N. S. Storter, Beaumont representative of the Lakes-Sitgreaves steamship company, American representatives of the Isanzo's Italian owners, also sped to the scene about noon. The U. S. government engineer's yacht, Zealand, with a party of officials aboard including S. W. Clarke, government engineer for the Sabine district, Bill Lea, former mayor of Orange, and others, arrived at the wreck before noon, going up the canal from Port Arthur. The Isanzo is registered at Genoa, local shipping men said today.

Only rough and dressed lumber, timbers, creosoted piling and poles, all loaded at the Litcher-Moore Lumber company, Orange, for delivery at Tampier and Ver Cruz, Mexico, aggregating about 750,000 feet, comprised the Isanzo's cargo. Damage to this cargo will be practically negligible, the fire on the sunken ship having been confined to the engine room, it is believed by shipping men in Port Arthur.

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PHONES 118 & 119



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ENGINEERS HERE TO SEE MAYOR

Visit of No Significance, Says Logan

Petitions being circulated, requesting the Ninth Court of Civil Appeals to take as early action as possible on the injunction suit against the million-dollar bond issue, have not yet been gathered and the total number of signers is not known, Mayor J. P. Logan said this morning he had heard.

"Ninety-eight out of every hundred are signing the petitions, I hear," said the mayor. "I call that a pretty good batting average."

J. C. Nagle of the engineering firm of Nagle, Witt and Rollins of Houston, conferred with the city commission in Mayor Logan's office this morning. It is presumed the stalled million-dollar bond issue was the subject under discussion although city officials said no particular significance was attached to Nagle's visit.

PUNISHMENT FOR PARKERS COMING

Warnings won't be the only thing handed out to overtime parkers after today, was the official word at the city hall this morning.

Half a dozen car owners guilty of parking more than two hours in the restricted downtown area were allowed to escape the full swoop of the law this morning, but not so after today.

Police officers are continuing to chalkmark all cars and all left for more than two hours will be tagged with notices requesting the owners' presence in police court to be fined. The timing of cars started last week-end and at least 40 cars have been tagged.

Last Saturday about a dozen owners summoned to appear in court were released, warned: "Don't do it again." Saturday afternoon it developed that one of those tagged for overtime parking was none other than Corporation Judge A. W. Dycus himself.

But after today not even Judge Dycus himself will escape a fine.

OMAHA, FT. WORTH BOTH SEEKING MEET

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 16.—Omaha and Fort Worth will fight it out on the floor of the American Legion national convention tomorrow for the 1925 meeting.

The time and place committee deadlocked today and decided to put both cities before the convention and let the delegates decide.

MARKETS

WALL STREET JOURNAL FINANCIAL REVIEW NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Nothing happened in the outside news to stimulate interest in stock exchange proceedings. Price changes in the main body of stocks were mostly fractional, but they displayed distinct favoritism toward the side of the advance.

With freedom from selling pressure continuing the markets outstanding characteristic groups working in special stocks took advantage of the opportunity to bring bear favorites into prominence and a number of striking gains took place in issues of this category. General Baking and Cushman's sons scored rises of sensational nature and various other specialties moved up in a session which disclosed a decided scarcity in offerings around existing levels.

OPENING PRICES United States Steel 166 1/4, up 1/4. Studebaker 32 1/2, up 1/4. Marland 34 1/2, up 1/4. St. Paul 15 1/2, up 1/4. Baldwin 11 1/2, off 1/4. American Can 126 1/2, up 1/4. New Haven 52 1/2. Southern Railway 66 1/2. Rock Island 54 1/2. Cast Iron Pipe 100. Southern Pacific 24 1/2, up 1/4. Brooklyn Manhattan Transit 25 1/2, off 1/4. D. L. and W. 157 1/2, off 1/4. A. T. and T. 128 1/2, off 1/4. CLOSING PRICES U. S. Steel 166 1/4, up 1/4. Baldwin 11 1/2, up 1/4. American Can 126 1/2, up 1/4. Studebaker 32 1/2, up 1/4.

Cast Iron Pipe 100 1/2, up 1/4. General Electric 25 1/2, up 1/4. American Woolen 54 1/2, up 1/4. C. and O. 35 1/2. New York Central 107 1/2, up 1/4. D. L. and W. 140 1/2, up 1/4. Rock Island 53 1/2. St. Paul preferred 21, off 1/4. Texas Company 40 1/2. NEW YORK LIBERTY BONDS U. S. Liberty, 3 1/2, 100 1/2. U. S. Liberty, 1st 4 1/2, 102 1/2. U. S. Liberty, 2nd 4 1/2, 102 1/2. U. S. Liberty, 3rd 4 1/2, 101 1/2. U. S. Liberty, 4th 4 1/2, 102 1/2.

Pat Neff Will Confer With Demo Candidates

AUSTIN, Sept. 16.—Before returning to Austin Governor Pat M. Neff, who is in Kansas City, will confer with John W. Davis, democratic presidential candidate, who is now in Missouri. Governor Neff has been invited to make several speeches during the national campaign.

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The Editorial Mind

Dr. Frank Crane's Editorials

ROAD COMMITTEE SURVEY FIRST ADVANCED STEP IN ROAD PROBLEM

**THE AIRPLANE**  
Recently, fifteen motor gliders started from the Blue "erodrome" in France, on a 1156-mile flight across the country. The object of the flight was to evolve the cheapest form of motor glider with the lowest gasoline consumption. The competitors were not allowed to replace the engines or wings, but were allowed to effect all necessary repairs.

A glider meet was also held at Bloen, on August 15 and lasted for fifteen days.

Compare this with the assembly of the Grand Fleet of Great Britain recently at Portsmouth, where 194 warships passed before the King in review, representing thirty thousand officers and men assembled. Here were many number of men and any amount of property whose business was merely to be on parade. They serve no useful end and were entirely reserved for destructive purposes. The airplane, on the contrary, may be used in peace as it is in war, but it may be a machine easily converted to warlike purposes.

Sooner or later the nations of the world are going to realize that prosperity in time of peace is the best preparation for war and that the best means for war, and the most economic, consist in peaceful instrumentalities that can speedily be converted to warlike use.

At any rate, it seems that every indication is that the next war will be fought in the air and will no longer depend upon ships. It seems as though the airplane were making the battleship a back number, just as the battleship has replaced the trirreme of old.

By the way, the Royal Aero Club of Great Britain recently gave the Britannia trophy to Mr. A. J. C. Cohan for the most meritorious performance in the air during 1923. That performance consisted in a 12,000 mile flight in a De Havilland plane, fitted with a 240 horsepower Siddeley Puma engine. The total flying time was 128 hours.

With the establishment of a transcontinental mail route from New York to San Francisco, it looks as though it would not be long before crossing the Atlantic by air would be an established business.

All this has its bearing upon war. And it is a question whether the national defense can better be served by keeping up the old-fashioned army and navy or by directing attention to the air.

There is no one who does not want to see his country properly defended. It is only a matter of vision and judgment.

**In New York**

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Willard Huntington Wright, an author who writes of the latest happenings in New York hasn't been out of his quarters in an uptown hotel for more than a year. He is ill.

Yet, each day he keeps in complete touch with the world that swirls about him. It would seem he would be dependent on numerous friends to supply him with the latest foibles of a fickle New York public. But he isn't.

His only human contacts are bell-boys, waiters, chambermaids and an assistant manager of the hotel in which he lives. He refuses to see all others and is consistently emphatic in his refusals to make new friends. He is married but his wife and child live in California.

Wright reads every newspaper and practically every important and recognized publication. In this fashion he refreshes his mind with the world's doings.

Although he has not attended a theatre or concert in many months he is familiar with all current music through a talking machine. He buys and plays all the phonograph records. Systematically efficient in everything he does, Wright works many hours a day. Just now he is in the midst of three novels. I am told. Two of them deal with highly technical subjects and the third, a mystery story, is being sandwiched between them.

Wright was born in California and is described as having a most pleasing personality and enthusiastic outlook despite his year's imprisonment because of his health.

A man came out of the west to conquer the printing business in New York.

Starting with a one-room print shop not many years ago his plants now occupy three city blocks in Chicago, his home.

John F. Cuneo is the man.

He is the son of a wealthy wholesale fruit merchant—but worked out his own business salvation.

He prints 2,000,000 magazines each month, not to mention books and the catalogue of a large mail order house.

Cuneo, regarded as the biggest individual periodical publisher in the world is only 38 years old.

He is blonde and good natured, possessed of the most disarming smile you ever saw, and is single.

The many little soft drink places—perfectly legitimate shops—that have followed in the wake of prohibition, have stolen a trick from the old corner saloons.

Milk is forced into a glass with air, when you call for a thirst-quenching goblet of the cow's famous product, and it bubbles and foams, like the four per cent beer of yesterday.

If you let it settle a moment the air bubbles out and you have an inch less milk to drink.

—STEPHEN HANNAGAN.

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THE FUN SHOP

By MAXSON FOXALL JUDELL

Your Money AT WORK

**Verses and Reverses**  
By George S. Chappell  
Holly-hocks and four o'clocks,  
Mallow pink and larkspur blue,  
Pansy, candy-tuft and phlox,  
Salpiglossis, feverfew,  
Lady's slipper, golden-glow,  
Flowers of every form and look,  
Every one by name I know,  
When I see them, . . . in the book.

A farmer's stock is cattle,  
A broker's stock is not,  
A merchant's stock is cloaks and suits,  
Did you ever hear such rot?  
Potatoes have a hundred eyes,  
And yet they cannot see;  
A needle is as blind as one.  
It don't seem right to me!

What do you mean, O Moon, so bright,  
Gilding the mountain snows,  
What do you whisper on the height?  
Who knows? . . . Who knows?  
What does the South-wind sigh to the trees,  
As he passes swift by?  
And what is the meaning of verses like these?  
What knows? . . . Not I.

**Best Liar Wins**  
They were arguing over the merits of their respective dogs.  
Said Bilkins: "My dog is so intelligent I am at a loss to devise new tricks to teach him."  
"That's nothing," his friend replied. "Mine has reached the stage where he teaches me new tricks."  
—Albert Briggs.

**Those Summer Resorts**  
Jay: "So you picked out one of those places to spend your vacation where there were no mosquitoes?"  
Jean: "Yes, but I was stung."  
—Eberman Woolf.

**Blue Pencilled**  
Neighbor (meeting the little boy next door): "You're looking more and more like your father every day."  
Said Boy: "Why shouldn't I? They make me wear the old man's clothes out down."  
—Clarence Bryan

**Criminals in Jail belong:**  
Watches frequently go wrong.

**Ups and Downs**  
Jill: "You say he knows his business from the grown up? What is his business?"  
Bill: "He's an aviator."  
B. C. B.

**Wild Wilkes**  
Willie, to his great disgrace,  
Criticized his cousin's face.  
"What a pity he can't change it," Willie said, "or re-arrange it."

Willie, playing near the hedge,  
Found some clippings, keen of edge,  
Ground on the porch hob-nobbed;  
SNIP, and 10, her hair was bobbed!  
—R. Shephard

**A Limit**  
Jack: "Have you got a loud speaker in your house?"  
John: "No, but my daughter is a loud singer and that's enough."  
K. J. E.

**'Twas Ever Thus**  
Ralph: "There is only one thing my wife and I always agree on."  
Victor: "I know. The fact that you should never have married each other, eh?"  
Chris. Rehnman

**Chicken Feed**  
The chief reason why city chickens are more expensive than country chickens is to be found in the dressing.  
The average girl does not want two strings to her bow, so much as two beaus to her string.  
Fine feathers make fine birds and big dressmaker's bills.  
Chicken broth can never be expected to satisfy as a substitute for XXX HENESSY.

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—Captain Kidd

**For Her Benefit**  
Park: "So you've taken out a larger insurance policy on your life. I suppose the agent talked you into it, eh?"  
Jarker: "Not me! He convinced my wife that it would be a good investment for her."  
—Ellsworth Ginsburg

**Not a Beauty**  
Tommy was industriously getting in his blows when the screams of the under boy in the fight brought his frantic mother to the rescue.  
"Why Tommy, you little rascal!" she cried, "what are you doing? Just see the blood on Willie's face!"  
"Just you wait till I get through with him," replied Tommy, calmly going on with the punishment, "and I'll bet my rocking horse against his kite that you won't call him a beauty again for some time to come."  
—Isa. Gertrude Bowen

**The Editor's Gossip Shop**  
Shortly we shall show you the kind of sympathetic treatment THE FUN SHOP gives to contributors if they possess any merit at all.  
We shall run a poem as it actually comes in to us, and immediately below it we shall run the poem as it has been revised to fit in with this department.

We shall present a Jingle-Jangle contributor sent in. In its original form, and show the jingle as it has been revised.

Merely emphasizing that nothing of merit is permitted to go by—even if we have to spend considerable time in revision.

**The Jingle-Jangle Counter**  
Every charming girl's a gem;  
Scales have quite a weigh with them.  
—Peter Probst.

**The Star**  
North: "Which actor in the play did you like best?"  
West: "The one who gave me a complimentary ticket."  
—Philip Shafter.

**By Proxy**  
Lew: "Is your wife continually asking you for money?"  
Mac: "No; but the people she buys things from are."  
—Leonard Goebel.

"I stand for an awful lot!" sighed the real estate sign, surrounded by rusty tin cans and several billy-goats.  
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**GOVERNOR NEFF OUT OF STATE, REPORTED**  
AUSTIN, Sept. 16.—Governor Neff is out of the state, having been in Kansas City, Mo., since Sunday and according to announcement at his office the executive is away "on a purely personal matter," not to return to Texas until Wednesday. Lieutenant Governor T. W. Davidson, whose home is at Marshall, has been notified of the governor's absence and is expected to arrive in Austin Tuesday to act as governor until Governor Neff's return.

Governor Neff has been out of the state eight times since the beginning of his second term in January, 1923.



**IS THE SMALL STORE AT A DISADVANTAGE?**

Several surveys of retail stores have shown that large stores operate at a lower expense than small stores. Savings by the large stores are effected primarily by greater efficiency from the sales force and more sales in proportion to the amount of rent paid. Does this mean that the small store has an inherent disadvantage which it must constantly strive to overcome?

One of the reasons why large stores show lower expenses is because they devote more care to expenses by keeping complete records which yield data for such analysis. Such records and details may be watched just as carefully by the smaller merchant, but the fact that most of them do not watch such things is one of the reasons why larger stores maintain lower expenses. Personal contact of the management with customers is an advantage the small store will always have over the large one.

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**Local Woman First To Get Jury Fee**

Special to the News  
REALMONT, Texas, Sept. 16.—Mrs. Nellie Busby, 909 Procter street, Port Arthur, has the honor of being the first woman in Jefferson county to receive pay for jury service. The names of a few women were placed by mistake in the new jury wheel, but Mrs. Busby is the first woman called.

Her name was drawn from the wheel and she was summoned by the sheriff's department for 50th district court Monday morning on the Anna Gaston murder case. She declared she was willing to serve but since women are exempt, she was excused. Since she had declared her willingness to serve, however, she received the regular \$1 fee from county treasurer H. L. Williams.

**COOLIDGE DUE BACK IN CAPITAL TODAY**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—President and Mrs. Coolidge and friends who accompanied them down the Potomac aboard the Mayflower were due to arrive in the capital sometime today, according to radio advices to the White House.

The trip was marked yesterday by a surprise visit to the little town of Crisfield, Md., to attend church Sunday.

**AVOID DISCUSSION OF "WAR GUILT" MESSAGE**

BERLIN, Sept. 16.—The German cabinet met today but avoided discussion of the anticipated "war guilt" note or this country's prospective entrance into the league of nations.

**NERVOUS WRECK**  
by E.J. Rath  
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**BEING HERE TODAY**  
The "Nervous Wreck," an eccentric young easterner, is driving Sally Morgan from her father's ranch to the station when they run out of gasoline. At the point of a gun the Wreck takes five gallons from a passing car.

They are held captive at a ranch owned by Mr. Underwood, who was in the car which they held up. They finally escape from the ranch, run into a camp of real bandits, are captured a second time, and then escape again. Fleeing from the bandit camp they are confronted by Sheriff Bob Wells and a companion. Wells, who is Sally's fiance, had been leading a search for the "bandits" who held up Underwood. Angered at the sheriff, Sally breaks off the engagement and says she is going to marry the Wreck. The Wreck, with the sheriff and his men, turned over the car on its feet.

**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY**  
—CHAPTER XXV—  
—And The Flivver Rolls—  
The Wreck tossed the job. He took an arrogant tone, particularly toward the sheriff, and Sally was glad. She was glad because the bossing job gave the Wreck something to do, and in its performance he forgot his embarrassment about other things, at least temporarily.

He was terse and confident in his commands. Not a finger would he lift himself; he had four men working for him. It took their united strength to put the flivver on four wheels. Bob Wells wanted to get it over with and "e on the trail again."

"Not that way!" called the Wreck, sharply. "Want to buckle a wheel for me? You can't push her sideways."

Sally listened to this with a sense of satisfaction.

The flivver was back in the abandoned road, but Henry Williams was not through with his helpers. They expected, and he would fill up the gasoline tank, turn the crank and say goodbye. But he said it would have to be rolled for quite a distance, perhaps all the way to the main road. The sheriff scowled.

"You ran her in here, didn't you?" he inquired. "Why can't you run her out?"

"Ran her in here in the dark," said the Wreck. "Didn't know what chances I was running. Won't run again. Roll her."

"We haven't time."

"No? Well, I have."

So they rolled her. The Wreck commenced to sit in the flivver while they rolled the thing up a heavy grade, with Bob Wells sweating and cursing under his breath and the members of his posse silently bending themselves to the humiliating task.

On the down grades the Wreck dismounted and let the posse do the steering. Then it was that he found himself walking behind, with Sally Morgan at his side. Proximity gave him a queer thrill. He stole glances at her, when he thought she was unaware of it. Engaged! He blushed whenever he remembered it. Of course, it was all a mere makeshift. But there was no illusion about the breaking of her engagement to Bob Wells, if it had ever really existed, and that broken, Sally was free, affianced to nobody, except theoretically to himself. Perhaps it would be necessary to have a formal talk about it. He dreaded the thought. He was not a coward in most things, but in this he was an utter craven.

It made matters a great deal worse because he had achieved a discovery—he did not know how he was going to get along without Sally Morgan to take care of him. It was one of those insidious influences that fasten a grip before you are aware of it. He leaned on her. She might not know it, but he did. Of course, he might shake it off after he returned to Pittsburg; but he could not be sure. He walked behind the flivver in a pleasant but forbidden dream, with Sally walking at his side.

"Hey, you boneheads!" It would rouse himself like that. "Keep her in the road. What are you trying to do? Put her up a tree?"

Then he would look at Sally, his mood would soften and the old embarrassment would descend on him like a shroud.

"We'll get out of here all right, Sally. Don't you worry."

"I'm not worrying."

"I meant about—He caught himself."

"About what Henry?"

"About afterwards."

"Oh?"

Sally had long silences herself. She wished it were all over; that Bob Wells and his posse would hurry up and take them off and van- ish absolutely out of the picture. She found no joy whatever in the poignance to which the sheriff and his posse were subjected; she believed that most of it was unnecessary, even from the standpoint of punishment. But at the same time she did not want to be left alone with Henry Williams. That was the woman of it.

"Don't you worry," repeated the Wreck, suddenly. "You don't have to. Hey! Don't you know which way to turn the wheels on a cur? Want to upset her again? Want to wreck her?"

Sally looked at the Wreck.

"I don't have to what," she asked. "Oh." He was caught unaware. "Why, you don't have to—that is, unless—that's not it, either. What I mean is, you're not really engaged."

It was a reckless speech and he felt instantly that he ought not to have made it. Sally was looking straight ahead.

"Of course not," she said, in a low voice.

The Wreck cursed himself. He knew that he was clumsy, and yet he was desperately groping for an understanding.

"What I mean," he said, "is that it's working backwards, if you can understand. First we were supposed to be married. Then that's off. Then we're supposed to be just engaged. And then that's—For the love of Mike! Don't put your shoulder against that mug. You'll bend it! Get hold of the body. And shove. Shove! Don't they grow any brains in Montana?"

The sheriff and the posse glared—and shivered.

"And then?" remarked Sally.

The Wreck remembered that he had started something.

"Why, then the engagement's off, I suppose," he said, as he glared at the posse. "Which leaves everything exactly where it was at the start."

There! He had reached the subject at last. He had dealt with it boldly, perhaps roughly; but he had not dodged it. Sally's eyes had a queer, uncertain look. There was something blurring even when she looked at an object as plain and familiar as the flivver. Sally, of course; but she could not get the blur out of her eyes unless she rubbed them, and she scorned that, with the Wreck at her elbow.

"Let go of that steering wheel!" commanded the Wreck. "Can't you see that she'll stay in the ruts? All you've got to do is to get busy and shove. You act like you were pushing a five-ton truck. No. No! The other way. Are you trying to bust a spring? If you haven't got any brains, can't you have a little beef?"

He came back from the bossing job with a glance in the direction of Sally. What? She was crying? He could feel his soul squirm. She was crying, but it was so unobtrusive, so nearly fearless, that the Wreck knew he was not expected to observe it.

"I'm sorry everything has gone busted," he said.

"Oh, nothing much is busted," said Sally, quickly. "That's all right."

"Oh?"

He stole another glance. She was not crying, after all; at least, not now. Strange people, women. You never could tell how long they were going to stick to one thing. Still, if there was anything he could do for Sally Morgan, all she had to do was to say the word.

"Of course, we don't need to tell the sheriff it's all off," he said, suddenly.

"No?"

"What's the use of giving him the satisfaction? We could just keep on—"

He broke off in a cry of rage. The flivver was diving into the brush again and the posse seemed unable to stop it. He leaped to assist, slammed on the emergency brake, brought the cantankerous thing to a halt and fired a broadside of denunciation. But it was more amazing to see that they not only endured it, but followed his directions about putting the car back on the road.

When he came back to her she hastily smothered a laugh. Not for the world did she want him to know that he amused her.

"They don't get anything right," she complained.

"Still, I think they're trying," she said generously.

"But they don't understand."

"Lots of people don't understand things."

"Huh?"

She meant something; he felt certain. Did she mean that there were some things that he did not understand? Well, if so, what were they? "What don't they understand?" demanded the Wreck.

"All kinds."

"Now you're just talking nonsense in circles."

"I suppose so," said Sally.

"Do you mean me?" he asked, sharply.

"Oh, don't let's quarrel again."

"I'm not quarreling. I never quarrel. My nerves may get on edge, but I'm always pleasant. I'm always—"

They were doing something wrong with the flivver.

Eventually they got it right again and once more resumed painful progress toward the main road. They were not far from it now, almost to the top of the last rise. When the Wreck returned to Sally he was mopping his forehead.

"Excuse me," he said, "but they get me all worked up. Once we get to the main road, we're all right. Plain sailing then. We'll be almost at the end of this foolishness."

"Yes," agreed Sally.

"I bet you'll be glad."

She bit her lip until it made her white. He was probably the most impossible person in the world. "Get you home in no time after we hit the road," he added.

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**40,000 ACRES FOREST LAND UNDER BLAZE**

PASADENA, Cal., Sept. 16.—Entering the third week of a careless camper tossed a burning match into a slump of dry brush back in San Gabriel canyon, the forest fire which followed and which has already swept from 30,000 to 40,000 acres of mountain side, was today still uncontrolled.

Mount Wilson observatory has been definitely saved, unless some unexpected wind carries the flames across the protective fire breaks which fire-hundred men constructed over the week end.

**357,455 Bales Of Cotton Consumed**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Cotton consumed during August totaled 357,455 bales against 492,483 bales in August last year, the census bureau reported today.

Of this 247,506 bales were consumed in cotton growing states, compared with 329,000 bales last year.



# THE NEWS' SOCIAL AND HOUSEHOLD PAGE

## The Smart Tunic Blouse Gains in Popularity As Autumn Season Advances

AND now the tunic blouse in all its glory! We have seldom had a fashion which has arrived so suddenly. One day we were wearing our overblouses sedately gathered into a band about our hips, and the next day we were appearing in a straight, slim, tunic affair which never ends above the knees, and very frequently reaches within four or five inches of the hem of our skirt.

Each day their popularity increases and we see them fashioned of some new material. Some of the leading houses are making them a part of the ensemble. They top a matching skirt and have a scarf of the same material. A smart house sponsors a tunic frock of heavy rep silk in a rich autumn brown, with the very long tunic flaring from the knees. The lower edge and the collar are embroidered.

There are many tunic overblouses which very closely resemble an artist's smock. These may or may not have a matching skirt. But they will be almost certain to have raglan sleeves or the smart peasant sleeves so highly favored by the up-to-date artist who, it must be admitted, pays quite as much attention to his—her—costume as to his canvas. Tunics of this type come well below the knees and may have a peasant neck, which is vastly smart, but rarely becoming, and convenient patch pockets.

They may be of rep, charmeuse, a fine twill or kasha cloth and will thus stamp themselves as being of the very newest fall models. Navy touched with a bit of brilliant embroidery in wool or heavy silk thread, brick dust which is a popular color for fall, any of the mahogany browns or any of the warm tans; all of these are ultra-smart and are excellent for utility wear. To be at their best, they should top a matching skirt.

More inexpensive and at the same time more summery are the tunics of printed crepe de chine. These feature very large flowers in a sprawling design. Black and white or tan and blue have been the favorite colors. But as the cooler weather approaches, darker tones will rule. Black and seal brown printed in various patterns are among the newest. These materials are apparently printed especially for tunics, as the designs are spread out over the surface at just the right places and the surface at just the right places and narrow to a band at neck, armholes and left-side closing.

One very unusual tunic model is in golden brown canton crepe with tiny bouquets of flowers in red and green embroidered in silk over its entire surface. It comes well down below the knees and a perky little sash finishes the side at the hip line. This is, perhaps, the nearest approach to a belt we will see. For the tunics are an excellent way of following the beltless mode, which is a strong feature of the new style. They hang slim and straight and unbelled and the woman who gets here now while they are still so very new will find all her friends copying her style.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDS OF HONOR NAMED**  
Misses Maurine Shivers and Lila Dicus have been named as additional maids of honor for the reunion of Sons of Confederate Veterans to be held at Port Worth, Sept. 20 and Oct. 1 Judge A. W. Dicus, together with the two maids of honor, will leave here Sept. 20 for the reunion.

**CORA CAMERON CANS CLASS TO MEET THURSDAY**  
The Cora Cameron Cann class of the First Methodist Episcopal church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church parlors.  
Hostesses on this occasion will be Mrs. Lillian Lundy, Mrs. Isabelle Baraduf, Mrs. F. A. Montgomery and Mrs. Frank Pond.

A delightful program is being arranged for the reunion with Mrs. Streeter in charge. Refreshments will be served. All members of the Cora Cameron Cann class and their friends are cordially invited to attend the entertainment.

**WENDAT CAMP HAS SESSION**  
The Wendat Camp Fire met Saturday afternoon at the Knights of Columbus hall, at which time three new members were accepted into the membership of the camp. These new members were Isabelle Hook, Della Rodriguez and Agnes Conners.

Those in attendance were Olive Worm, Gertrude Worm, Isabelle Hook, Bessie Schulten, Della Rodriguez, Agnes Conners, Lois Krohn, Marie Bertin, Olla Laughlin, Lela Mae Marshbanks and the guardian, Mrs. Roy Houston.

**WEEK-END VISIT WITH RELATIVES**  
Gus Rome and son, Olen G., of Mission spent the week-end in the city with Mr. Rome's sons-in-law and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Rome of 1235 Eighth street and Mr. and Mrs. H. Hanna and Miss Annie C. Rome of 630 Orange avenue.

**MR. AND MRS. EARNST LEAVE FOR ILLINOIS**  
Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Earnst of Lockport, Ill., and Mrs. Earnst's brother, P. J. Correll of Chicago, left this morning for their homes after a pleasant visit here with Mr. Earnst's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Earnst of 1724 Eighth street. The trip is being made via automobile.

**MR. AND MRS. ARIN RETURN FROM TRIP**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Arin of Griffling have just returned from a motor trip to Corpus Christi, San Antonio and Medina Lake.

## Social Calendar

### TUESDAY

Moonbeams with Miss Beulah Boudreaux, 1128 Seventh street, 7:30 o'clock.  
Nita Serenaders with Whitney Hartman, 1328 Seventh street, 7:30 o'clock.  
Circle Two of Woman's Auxiliary of Central Baptist church with Mrs. T. Youngblood, 2707 Seventh street, 8:30 o'clock.  
Circle Four of Central Baptist Auxiliary with Mrs. W. A. Lea, 2318 Thomas boulevard, 8:30 o'clock.  
Pythian Sisters to meet at K. P. hall, 8 o'clock.  
Circle One of Central Baptist Auxiliary with Mrs. C. L. Haynes, 1901 DeQueen boulevard, 8:30 o'clock.  
American Legion Auxiliary with Mrs. E. V. Hay and Mrs. E. L. Hunter as hostesses, 1027 Seventh street, 7:30 o'clock.  
Camp Fire Guardians' association to meet at Memorial Library, 7:30 o'clock.

### WEDNESDAY

Woman's Auxiliary of Memorial Baptist church to meet in all day session at church, 8:30 o'clock, and Shreveport avenue, 9:30 o'clock.  
W. B. A. of Macabees drill team to meet at hall in Hartford building for rehearsal, 2 o'clock.  
Mrs. G. S. Moody to entertain Whilens Club members and husbands at her home, 2237 Fifth street, 7:30 o'clock.

## Excelsior B. Y. P. U. Has Banquet

Members of the Excelsior B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church were entertained at a most delightful banquet last evening in honor of the departing college students and the winners of the contest.

Clyde Darling made a most admirable toastmaster on this occasion. The invocation was given by Dr. C. W. Culp, following which Mrs. A. V. Corley gave a toast to the winners of the contest.

Miss Bell Willis entertained with a charming reception, after which Joe Dodson gave a toast to the departing students and Miss Elizabeth Young rendered a lovely violin selection.

"To Our Future" was the toast given by Miss Hilda Elder, and the vocal solo by Miss Ma die Hendrickson was enthusiastically received. Delightful musical numbers were rendered by the orchestra throughout the evening. A short address was made by Rev. C. W. Culp before he closed the banquet, which was concluded with the song, "Blest Be The Tie That Binds."

The banquet proved a most enjoyable affair, much credit for which was given Mrs. W. S. Carter, chairman of the banquet service.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY GIVEN SATURDAY**  
Mrs. Nettie Anderson entertained with a pleasing birthday party Saturday afternoon at her home, 216 Sixth street, in honor of the eleventh and twelfth birthdays of Albert and Myrtle Slonka.

Games and contests were enjoyed during the afternoon with James Phillips winning the prize in the apple contest and Bessie Alexandra in another equally amusing contest. Ruby Lee Seymour received the prize for the best dancer and Margaret Langan entertained the children with a "shrek dance." Refreshments of ice cream, cake and fruits were served during the afternoon.

Enjoying the affair were Margaret Langan, Billie Langan, Ruby Langan, Nick Norris, Howard McFadden, Son Taylor, May Forest, James Phillips, Nathan Phillips, Ruby Lee Seymour, Isadore Guidry, Duke Martin, J. P. Foret, Isadore Foret, James Foret, Wilson Harris, Nadine Henderson, Jack Langan, Carl Pavia, J. D. Guidry, Sarah Alexander, Olesia Alexander, Viola Redkey, V. L. Marshall, J. W. Carlin, Joyce Foret, Etta Mae Follette, Ethel Champagne, Myrtle Guidry, Cordella Rivette, Bernice Guidry, Almar Moorehead, Beatrice Carlin, Rita Rivette, Myrtle Slonka and Albert Slonka.

**CARPENTERS AUXILIARY HAS BUSINESS SESSION**  
Members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Carpenters Union met in a short business session yesterday afternoon at the Carpenters hall with a large attendance present.

The next meeting of the Auxiliary will be held on Monday, October 6, at which time plans will be discussed for holding the meetings offener.

**MRS. M. CLICK RETURNS HOME**  
Mrs. M. Click of 2331 Eleventh street is home after a delightful visit with her mother and sister in De Ridder, La.

**CAMP FIRE GUARDIANS WILL HOLD MEETING**  
The Camp Fire Guardians Association will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock at Memorial Library at which time a number of important matters will be considered. It is hoped that all members will be in attendance this evening.

**WHILERS CLUB TO BE ENTERTAINED**  
Mrs. G. S. Moody will entertain the members of the Whilers Club and their husbands tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock at her home, 2237 Fifth street. Cards will give diversion during the evening.

## Miss Taylor Complimented With Bridge

Miss Frankie Mae Taylor, whose marriage to Mr. Walter Clinton will be a social event of this month, scheduled to take place on September 24 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Glass, is being showered with a number of pre-nuptial affairs, among them being a beautifully appointed bridge, for which Miss Doris Thompson was the hostess at her home, 530 Florida avenue, with members of the Lady Shippers club as guests.

Exquisite pink roses affected a charming color scheme for the pretty party and were used in profusion throughout the entire suite. Bridge tables were outfitted in covers and accessories reflecting the chosen theme and in the games Miss Nina Dowdy was presented with the handsome trophy for high score and Miss Vivian Ashley received consolation. During the presentation of the prizes Miss Taylor was surprised to have presented her a pre-nuptial decorated basket, filled with "handsome kitchen utensils," which were gifts from her club members for her new home.

A lovely ice course was offered by the hostess. The personnel of the glorious hospitality included Miss Frankie Mae Taylor, Miss Isabel Davis, Miss Marie LeMaster, Miss Nina Dowdy, Miss Ruth Corbett, Miss Follina Vuytsteke, Miss Lucille Price, Miss Vivian Ashley, and the hostess, Miss Doris Thompson.

## Delightful Supper Given Last Evening

Fun, fellowship, and pep, touched with just enough seriousness to make the occasion a memorable one of their organization, the Wesleyan Fishermen of the First M. E. Church, South, entertained with a "pep feast" at the church last evening, the feast taking the form of a delightful oyster supper.

Officers of the Wesleyan Fishermen class were hosts on this occasion.

The second floor of the church presented a scene of much merriment on this occasion, and as the guests arrived they were entertained with musical selections on the victrola. After all were assembled they were ushered into the large dining hall, where the tables had been arranged in the form of a helm, in the center of which was the table for the guests of honor, departing college students.

The centerpiece of this table was indeed charming, being formed of a large net and fishing tackle banded around a cluster of green fern and foliage. The other tables bore similar centerpieces.

After the delectable oyster supper A. R. McCoy, president of the class, presided over a short program and business session combined. Reports were given by Clarence Riggs, vice president; Stone Gay, secretary; Felix Corley, treasurer; and Gwynn McAlpine, recreational chairman. In addition to his report, Mr. McAlpine outlined the committee's work for the coming year in which he mentioned a minstrel show which will be put on soon.

So delightful was the "pep feast" evening that the boys voted to hold a similar one every three months.

B. A. Warsaw was elected sponsor of the Wesleyan Fishermen class, and after his election he responded with a short speech on "The Regular Feller." Impromptu speeches were made by Mason Barron and Bob Moses, following which short talks were made by Dr. V. A. Godbey and Mrs. D. A. Daigle, teacher of the class.

Short talks were also made by the guests of honor, included among whom were Nick Hyde, Bob Mossman, Roland B. Carroll, Lee Burge, Mason Barron, and Clyde May, all of whom leave soon for their respective colleges and universities.

Those in attendance last evening in addition to the guests of honor were Samuel Evans, Wesley Eaves, Beverly Codd, Felix Corley, H. S. Singletary, Roy Rustling, Claude Herpin, F. H. Lewis, O. C. Faulkner, Gwynn McAlpine, Joe Hart, Comm-ton Ellisor, Mason Barron, A. R. McCoy, Willie Scallhorn, Harvey Winger, Gay Stone, B. A. Watson, Dr. V. A. Godbey, and Mrs. D. A. Daigle.

**MISS CHADWELL TO COLUMBUS**  
Miss Myrtle Chadwell left Saturday evening for Columbus, O., to engage in the beauty culture business with her sister, Miss Sadie Chadwell, formerly of this city.

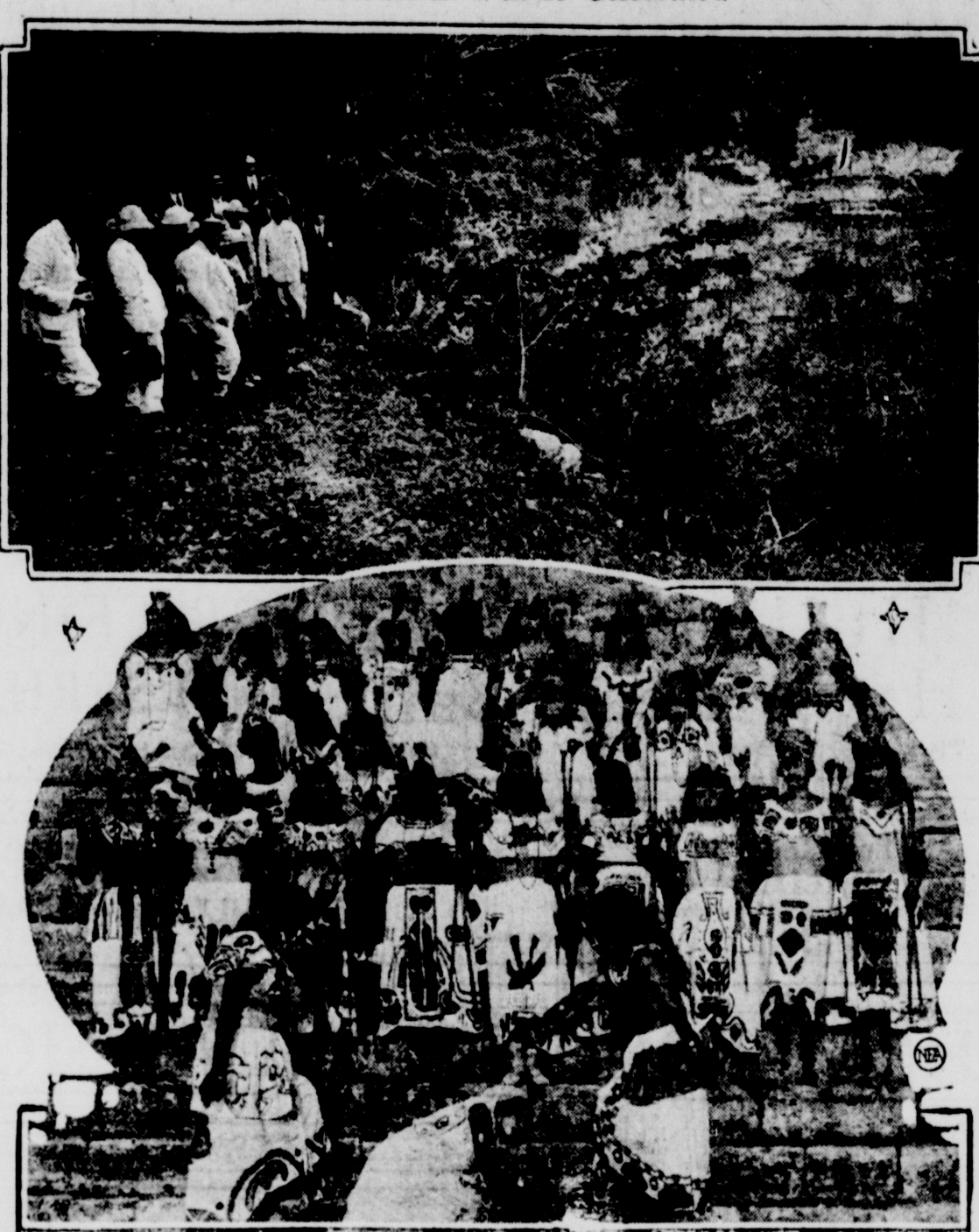
**WALOHI CAMP FIRE HAS MEET**  
The Walohi Camp Fire met yesterday afternoon at the Knights of Columbus hall at which time the girls decided to have a meeting each Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the K. C. hall. Plans were also discussed for a party Friday evening at the club.

## Child-birth

Good news for Expectant Mothers  
When the little one arrives you can be the most contented mother in the world. An eminent physician, expert in this science, has shown the way. It was he who first produced the great rubbing preparation called "Mother's Friend."

Results from the use of "Mother's Friend" are proven by many startling letters of testimony from happy users. "I can almost say my baby was born without pain," writes a young mother who had used "Mother's Friend." It has been used by three generations of expectant mothers. Start using it today, and meanwhile write to Bradford Regulator Co., B-A-18, Atlanta, Ga., for free valuable book containing information for every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all good drug stores.

## Sacrificial Well Is Unearthed



TOP PHOTO SHOWS THE "SACRED CENOTE"—THE SACRIFICIAL WELL OF CHICHEN-ITZA, YUCATAN, WHERE LIVING SACRIFICES WERE MADE IN YEARS GONE BY. BELOW IS A GROUP OF TYPICAL MAYA MAIDENS. GIRLS OF THIS TYPE WERE USED AS SACRIFICES.

CHICHEN-ITZA, Yucatan, Sept. 16.—Science follows a lovely phantom down the great Sacrificial Well of Chichen-Itza.  
For, it is the weird romance of the Maya maiden that has prompted the dredging of the muddy depths of the famous "Sacred Cenote" in the heart of the ruined city.

This maiden of flawless beauty is the sweetest and the most tragic figure in Maya tradition.

The beating of the death drum, the

mocking notes of a high-pitched flute, and the shrill screaming of a whistle announces her descent of the imposing stairway. Below, await the officials and the nobles in solemn procession. Trembling and helpless, she joins them in the march along the Sacred Road.

They come to a halt at the edge of a huge circular pool which gapes like an open wound in the dark forest.

Voices are raised in prayer. Then, comes the moment for appeasing the offending deity with the supreme sac-

rifice.  
A priest chants, while another tears the clapper from the tiny bell which the maiden wears around her neck.

To the Maya, the process signifies death. She has been mercifully drugged with "balele," the sacred nectar.

Invariably, the spectators wait a while for the return of the lovely victim, believing that such a miracle would mean immediate answer to their prayers. An ancient chronicle records, rather vaguely, that once, a maiden did come back.

**MRS. GREENWOOD RETURNS HOME**  
Mrs. W. B. Greenwood and little son, Billy, have returned to their home in Texarkana after a delightful two weeks' stay here with Mrs. Greenwood's daughter, Mrs. A. A. Gunter of 225 Lake Shore drive.

**MR. AND MRS. HORAN VISITING IN CITY**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Horan and children and Mrs. Horan's mother, Mrs. Carrie Horan, of Riverside are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Metz of DeQueen boulevard.

Mr. Horan and his mother will leave this evening for Shreveport for a few days' stay before their return to Riverside.

**PYTHIAN SISTERS TO MEET TONIGHT**  
The Pythian Sisters will meet in regular session this evening at the K. P. hall. The meeting is scheduled for 7:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be in attendance.

**MISS BUTLER IMPROVING**  
Miss Essie Butler has been removed to her home in Griffling after undergoing an operation for appendicitis at Mary Gates hospital. Her condition is reported to be greatly improved.

**To Spend \$75,000 To Fix Causeway**  
GALVESTON, Sept. 16.—Work of repairing defects in the drawbridge on Galveston's causeway will be commenced on September 20, according to an order which will close the bridge to navigation on that date for a period of 60 days.

The Southern Pacific railroad will direct the making of repairs which will include new bearing at the base of the bridge. Total expenditures in repairs have been estimated at \$75,000.

**AN OPEN LETTER TO WOMEN**  
Tells of Mrs. Vogel's Terrible Suffering and how she was Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Detroit, Michigan.—"My troubles were severe pains in my back and terrible bearing-down pains in my right side. I also had headaches and sleepless nights. I first began having troubles when I was 15, and they have increased as I grow older. A little booklet was left at my door, and I read what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for women and decided to try it. After the first week I could go to sleep every night and I stopped having that nervous feeling and got a better appetite. The doctor had always said that an operation was the only thing that would help me, but I never had any faith in an operation. Since the Vegetable Compound has started helping me I do not suffer the severe pains, feel stronger, and am able to do my own work. I am more than glad to tell my friends that it helps where other medicines have failed."

—Mrs. GUS VOGEL, 6008 Pelouze St., Detroit, Michigan.  
A record of fifty years service must convince women of the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

## Pre-Volstead Beer "Bust" Busted By Cops

GOOSE CREEK, Sept. 16.—Raiding a farm house near Crosby, Harris county deputy sheriffs "bored-in" on a regular, pre-volstead "beer bust."

In the center of a table, around which sat a party of men, was a keg of beer encased in a large wooden container packed with ice. Cheese sandwiches were heaped on a side table.

While the officers "looked-in" on the party several persons arrived in cars but left when they saw the officers. Three of the party about the table were placed under arrest.

Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water refreshes and strengthens weak and tired eyes. All druggists 25c.—Adv.

**Use Cuticura Soap And Ointment To Heal Sore Hands**



## Back Achy Every Day?

ARE you constantly tortured with throbbing backache and sharp, stabbing pains? Do you feel lame, stiff and achy; tired and nervous—all upset? It's time, then, you gave some attention to your kidneys. The kidneys, you know, are the blood filters. When they slow up, body poisons accumulate and throw the whole system out of tune. Then comes that nerve-racking backache, with rheumatic pains, headaches, dizziness and disturbing bladder irregularities.

Don't wait! Delay may prove serious. Use Doan's Pills. Doan's have helped thousands. They should help you. Ask your neighbor!

**Here Is Port Arthur Proof:**  
Gus Hollander, Prop. Hollander Garage, 819 Sixth St., says: "Heavy lifting weakened my kidneys and sharp catches came through the small of my back and made me feel pretty miserable. In the morning, I felt the worst. My kidneys acted frequently, especially at night. Doan's Pills, however, from the Hart Drug Store, put my kidneys in fine order and cured me of backache."

**Doan's Pills**  
Stimulant Diuretic to the Kidneys  
At all dealers, 60c a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfg. Chemists, Buffalo, N.Y.



## LETTER FROM BEATRICE GRIMSHAW SUMMERS TO SALLY ATHERTON, CON-TINUED

I can't tell you, Sally dear, what a peculiar feeling I had when I went down on Hollywood boulevard the other day to do some shopping. It's an ordinary little city street. Most of the buildings are low, some of them quite artistic, and some of the bank buildings quite imposing. Sunset boulevard and even Santa Monica boulevard are in line going to be quite as busy streets. Yet I doubt if in the eyes of the thousand and one persons who step off the Santa Fe and other railroads entering Los Angeles each day, there is any other street than Hollywood boulevard.

These people, as I did, expect to see New York's famous Rialto transplanted out here in the foothills with all its dust and noise and towdriness left behind. They expect the little street will retain all the essence of New York's theatrical atmosphere, all the echoes of its Bohemian gaiety, and all the whispers of its spicy scandal.

Hollywood boulevard! No other street in all the world passes the little white house on the outskirts of Kalamazoo, yet reaches to the edge of the gold mines and oil fields of Mexico.

No other thoroughfare climbs the hill at Mont Matre to Sacre Coeur, where all Paris can be seen below. No other road crosses Main Street in Des Moines, Iowa, yet is traversed by the myriads of people living in Pekin.

No other highway in all the world is held up to criticism by a pulpititeer who knows nothing about it in the farflung land of always winter snows, or has its temptations pictured by impassioned orators with a Freudian complex of the repressed desires which multiply in the tropics.

In the lonesome places of the earth, Hollywood boulevard is known as the place where Gaiety and Love are continually passing on dancing feet.

In Hollywood anything can happen, and generally does—just as it happens in every other corner of the globe. But because the screen is a part of the amusement life of every city, every town, every hamlet, one comes to know the shadowy men and women that flit across it quite as well as one does one's nearest and dearest friends.

Living in Hollywood is like looking behind the scenes in the theater, where one always is disillusioned at finding carpenters, scene shifters, gaffers, electricians, doing the monotonous work which must be done even in the land of make believe.

Already, Sally, I have found good

friends and charming people among the moving picture colony. I think I am going to like it, but as yet I have only skirted along the outside, and of course you know your cautious old friend never makes up her mind until the thing has been well analyzed and a rational judgment deducted therefrom.

There, that sounds more like pe-dantic old Bee, doesn't it?

I love you, dear. Write me about everyone, especially Leslie.

BEE.  
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TOMORROW: Letter from Sally Atherton to Beatrice Grimshaw Summers.

## Port Neches Notes

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Scronce of Casper, Wyo., are here visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Tobill and little daughter visited relatives in Kounts last week-end.

Mr. I. D. Holland and Mrs. G. B. Doughton and Misses Myrl and Catherine Holland of Beaumont were the guests of Mrs. R. N. Oakley Thursday.

Mrs. George Beard of Nederland was the guest of Mrs. James Murphy Thursday and Friday.

A. Willford of Warren, Texas, was the guest of his sister Mrs. R. C. Johnson last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cavari have returned to Port Neches from Casper, Wyo. They will erect a home in the west end of town.

The many friends of Mrs. G. F. Johnston formerly of Port Neches, will be glad to know that she has returned from El Paso and will reside in Beaumont.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Grantham returned last week from New Orleans where they were called on account of the death of Mr. Grantham's mother.

Mrs. C. E. Nicholson and Mrs. J. P. Tomberlin were Beaumont visitors Thursday.

Little Gladys Cooper and Billy Oakley are reported on the sick list this week.

The members of the Port Neches school board are to entertain the school faculty with a boat trip down the river Friday night on the "Texas Girl."

Mrs. D. J. Holmes was a Beaumont visitor Thursday night.

**INSIST ON TANLAC VEGETABLE PILLS For Constipation**



## KARNAK Is Giving Hundreds

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By the Architects' Small House Service Bureau of the United States, Inc.

Outside walls of solid masonry are sometimes built with air spaces in them as in the tile wall. Or the solid brick wall may have various spaces included. There are various ways to do this so that cold and moisture will not penetrate. When these air-spaces do not exist in the wall itself, it is necessary for us to devise an air space between the plaster and the wall. We do this by putting strips against the masonry and nailing the lath to these. Plaster is then applied. Such a wall will be warm and dry. If it is built of good materials and good workmen are employed, it will last a long time and will not give you any trouble. Depreciation will be low.

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But one thing more. The block itself what about that? A well burned clay unit, to it tile or brick, is something like a mass of impure glass. It has temper as far from that of a poorly burned product as Damascus steel is from pot metal. The better the temper the stronger it will be.

We have come a long way in the building of walls since the cave man first learned to daub around reeds and the branches of trees. He built a temporary wall. When it rained it probably did not trouble him much to have a thin trickle of mud insinuating itself down his spinal column. Tight walls and roof did not mean much to him. Since that day we have learned how to build many kinds of walls—stone, brick, wood, tile, concrete—and we have learned that every one of them must be built with understanding to get the protection our dollars are intended to buy. It is easy to think of a stone wall as the strongest wall that can be built, but this is not necessarily true. Everything depends on the stone and the workmanship, just as it does with other materials used in wall building.

This is the last of three articles appearing in this column on "How to Build Walls."

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# HELP FOR THE MAN WHO WANTS TO BUILD

## CELLARLESS HOUSE SAVES BUILDER CASH

By the Architects' Small House Service Bureau of the United States, Inc.

If you are planning to build a home of the most inexpensive type, costing, let us say, not to exceed \$4,500, you may be interested to learn that one of the most certain ways to reduce costs is to omit those things which you do not absolutely require. Among other things of this kind is the basement. Through omitting the basement you may be able to save as much as 15 per cent of your total building cost.

**Not a Radical Idea**

On first thought a cellarless home seems to be a radical departure from the accepted principles of home construction, but this idea is by no means a new one. In fact, the complete basement, which we have installed in most of our modern small homes is a rather recent development. The cellarless house for present day use has been approved by many architects, including Ernest Flagg, the architect who planned the Singer building, and also by the Architects' Small House Service Bureau.

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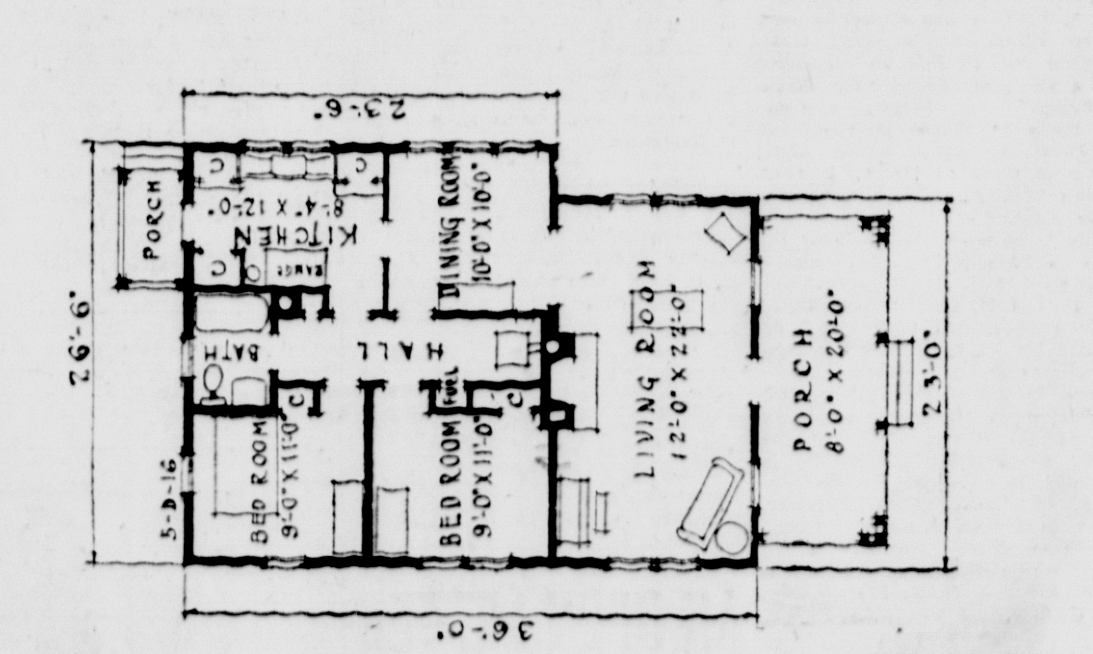
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It will not do at all to build a cellarless house without taking into consideration matters of ventilating the space underneath and removing the top soil and following out other principles of sound building. When a cellarless house is built as it should be, the results are satisfactory. Often home builders think that a home must have a cellar to be comfortable in every way, but a home built properly without a cellar is dry and warm. Insurance men have shown us also that since most fires start in the basement where it rains great headway before it is found, a cellarless house is less in danger from fire than a house with a basement.

A cellarless house also may be very fireproof, for being built close to the earth it hugs the ground and gives an air of shelter and protection. A house that is built close to the ground has an appearance of always having belonged there. It has a more homelike atmosphere. But certainly to the prospective home builder who must build inexpensively cellarless houses will appeal chiefly for their economy.

**Investigate the Cellarless House**

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# Texas League to Wind Up Schedule This Week

## CENTRAL HOLDS FLAG CINCHED

### North Siders Unable to Play Today

THE Texaco league will be wound up this week, if at all possible, it was announced by "Dee" Carter this morning. Carter is busy figuring out the number of games necessary to be played by each team to give each the same number in the column of games played.

Central Area, with its lineup of Elk and Athletic players, has the pennant cinched, with Terminal in second and North Side in third. West Side, playing a rather dismal fourth, has disbanded and the players have been split up between Terminal and North Side.

The standing of the league, which has not played any games now for the last week, is as follows:

Club	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Central Area	16	11	5	.687
Terminal	19	11	8	.579
North Side	14	6	8	.429
West Side	15	1	14	.067

Today's game, slated between West Side and Terminal had to be called off, Carter said this morning, because Chubby Barlett of the North Siders said he was unable to gather his nine for today. However, several games may be played this week to wind up the schedule and lay the Texaco league to rest until next year, making way for high school football to start next week.

## Sport Card

### HOW THEY STAND

Club	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	11	8	3	.636
Brooklyn	10	8	2	.800
Pittsburgh	10	7	3	.700
Cincinnati	11	7	4	.636
Chicago	11	7	4	.636
St. Louis	10	6	4	.600
Philadelphia	10	6	4	.600
Boston	11	5	6	.455

### WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Club	At
New York	at St. Louis
Brooklyn	at Cincinnati
Pittsburgh	at Philadelphia
Cincinnati	at St. Louis
Chicago	at Boston
St. Louis	at Philadelphia
Philadelphia	at Boston
Boston	at Philadelphia

### YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Club	Score
Boston	3, St. Louis 0
Washington	6, Detroit 0
New York	2, Chicago 0
Pittsburgh	3, Philadelphia 0
Other games postponed.	

### "Walsh and Sullivan" May Be New Battery

NOTRE DAME, Ind., Sept. 16.—Will the old battery of Ed Walsh and Billy Sullivan be revived by their return to the White Sox?

That question has arisen in the minds of sport followers, as it becomes certain that the sons of the famous White Sox pair will meet at Notre Dame for four years in baseball.

That Ed Walsh Jr., will wear the Irish colors was assured a few days ago when the old White Sox pitcher, now coach with the Comiskey outfit, visited Notre Dame to arrange for his son's entrance this fall.

"Many schools in the east besieged the lad with offers," the elder Walsh said, "but I am admitted that his Irish spirit was largely dictating the decision, 'the final say is mine. That's why he will come to Notre Dame'."

A number of months ago relatives of Billy Sullivan Jr., announced that he would enter Notre Dame in September. In Massachusetts, where the prowess of the young athlete is universally known, the name of Billy Sullivan is one to conjure with.

### 32 Golfers Qualify In Tourney for Pros

FRENCH LICK, Ind., Sept. 16.—A select group of 32 golfers, low scorers in yesterday's medal play got away today on the first round of match play in the National professional golf tournament.

A medal score of 150 or lower was required to enter match play. Johnny Farrell of the Quaker Ridge country club, Mamaroneck, N. J., was low medalist with a score of 140, four under par for the course.

Five others, with a score of 141 tied for second low score. They were: Harry Hampton, Canton, Ohio; Mike Brady, Mamaroneck, N. J.; Francis Gallett, Laureton, N. Y.; Bob Crawford, West Field, N. J., and Walter Hagen, New York.

### Return of Comiskey Awaited By Chisox

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—Selection of a permanent manager to lead the White Sox to replace Frank Chance, who died last night in Los Angeles awaits the return to Chicago of Charles A. Comiskey, owner of the White Sox. Comiskey is at his camp at Eagle River, Wisconsin, and is expected back tomorrow.

Johnny Evers, who has been acting as manager ever since Chance became ill early in the baseball season, probably will play out the role for the balance of the season.

# Jack Bernstein and Harry Greb Win Fights—Villa Warned by Commission

## Port Arthur Pirates Football Team May be Assembled Again

In '92 and '23

By Feg Murray



DEMPSY-FIRPO SEPT 14, 1925.

Among the famous fights in history that have taken place in September—and there have been many—two stand out above all others. The Corbett-Sullivan battle at New Orleans in 1892 and the Dempsey-Firpo fight at the Polo Grounds a year ago far overshadow any other fight encounters ever held in the month of September. True, the historic Gans-Nelson fight at Reno on September 3, 1906, which was finally lost on a foul after forty-two rounds, was one of the memorable battles of ring history, but the heavyweights have the edge over any other division.

The two engagements pictured here undoubtedly are the most famous of all. The first battle marked the passing of the championship from the "Boston Strong Boy" to Corbett, the young bank clerk, and started a new style of fighting—the lancing, jabby hit and get-away type—which was so popular while Gentleman Jim held the title. The Dempsey-Firpo fight is too well-remembered to need any comment—it was one fight in a thousand for pure, unadorned thrills—there were twenty rounds of action, crowded into less than two.

Other famous fights that were held in the month of September were Dempsey versus Miske, September 6, 1920; Ketchell vs. Pape, September 8, 1908; the Nelson-Britt; Gans-Britt; and Nelson-Gans fights, all held on September 9, in 1906, 1907, 1908 respectively; the Villa-Buff fight September 14, 1922; the Carpenter-Ski upset, September 24, 1922; and the historic "Cribb-Mohr" bare knuckle fight, September 28, 1811—and don't forget Willis and Firpo, 1924.

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## Paul Jones vs. Tuohy First Big Mat Match Promised by Wallace

A new power has entered the local grappling arena and seems destined to promote a number of contests this fall and winter that will probably sparkle with the sensational.

He is John Wallace, eastern sportsman and a man who has mixed in with wrestlers for years, knows the game from start to finish, and has already lined up six entertaining contests for the local ring this season.

Starts This Month

And Wallace's season officially opens Wednesday, September 24th, in the arena at Elks theatre, according to announcements made here Saturday night, with John Paul Jones, the Houston phenom, and Vic Tuohy, a middle-western lad of 23 summers and winters, as the principals.

Brand new stuff, brand new equipment, a new 18-foot wrestling mat, and seats to accommodate the biggest crowds in the history of the game locally are in sight for Port Arthur. Wallace promises, asserting in a communication to The News that he will install his new equipment at Elks theatre immediately, and will put it to use in the match between Jones and young Tuohy. The mat formerly used in the arena here was 16-foot, but Wallace considers an 18-foot arena the regulation size, and declares that some of the boys he has signed up for Port Arthur will not appear on a mat of any smaller dimensions.

All of which is interesting from the standpoint that it seems Port Arthur's mat fandom is destined to get some wham-bang stuff in the form of classy wrestling. Wallace has even referred to several of his contemplated contests as "classical events." And that's that.

Jones Defeated Actor

Jones, who jumped his first match of the present season at Houston Friday night with a victory, after a long rest the past summer, will in all probability get a wallop at some other good boy before he makes his return appearance in the local ring. The Houston grappler has gathered a host of fans about him, and has proved to be a popular drawing card for matches here. In his defeat of George Vassel Actor, sensational Greek artist, Jones proved his superior knowledge of the mat game, and drew the praise of a large number of fans, many of whom doubted his ability to down the sturdy Greek.

Tuohy is a boy who, like Jones, has been wrestling professionally but a short while. In fact, according to the dope handed out on him, he has been in the game but two short years as a professional ace—and during that time he has become an ace, just like his daddy of 20 years before him, who down the best in the game, Yack, Vic is the son of old "Paddy" Tuohy, and they say he wrestles much like his dad did.

Both 23 Years Old

Tuohy first entered the arena as an amateur, and went abroad as a member of the United States Olympic

## TIGER FLOWERS WINS DECISION

Romeo Gains Knockout at Memphis

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Avoiding a knockout only by his ring craft and guile, Johnny Dundee, former featherweight champion and the veteran of more than 350 fights, was badly beaten in a 15-round bout last night by Jack Bernstein, New York, former junior lightweight champion. Dundee weighed 132 pounds, a half pound less than Bernstein.

## GREEN'S FIGHT STOPPED

STUEBENVILLE, Ohio, Sept. 16.—The referee stopped the bout in the eighth round and awarded a technical decision to Harry Greb, middleweight champion, to save Billy Hirsch of Canton from further punishment.

## MUST FIGHT GENARO

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Pancho Villa, world's flyweight champion, will not be allowed to appear in a ring for eight months if he refuses to defend his title against Frankie Genaro here on September 23, the New York Boxing Commission has ruled.

Three physicians appointed by the commission, declared they found nothing wrong with his shoulder.

## TIGER FLOWERS WINS

COLUMBUS, Sept. 16.—Tiger Flowers, Atlanta middleweight, won a ten-round decision from Jamaica Kid, New York.

## KID KAPLAN WINNER

WATERBURY, Conn., Sept. 16.—Kid Kaplan, Meriden featherweight, won a 10-round decision from Lee Paulso, Salt Lake City.

## PANAMA PUG WHIPPED

ALLENSTOWN, Pa., Sept. 16.—Johnny Leonard won a 10-round decision from Angel Diaz, Panama, in a furious semi-final number.

## ROMERO WINS BY KAYO

MEMPHIS, Sept. 16.—Quintette Romero, Culean heavyweight champion, knocked out Farmer Lodge, Minneapolis, in the sixth round.

## Motor Tourists in Oregon Set Records

Figures compiled at the Portland municipal camp show that 18,100 tourists with 76,000 people registered at that place, while the total number of campers in the municipal camps of Oregon for the year was around 450,000. It is also said that these visitors, traveling in the "covered wagons" of 1924 model, spent \$65,000,000 in that state. Tourists are so welcome at these municipal camping grounds that they are not only provided with many facilities for comfortable living, but in some towns the local newspapers publish arrivals and other news relating to the camps. There are between 500 and 600 automobile camps conducted by various cities and towns in Oregon, Washington and British Columbia. It is said that 40 per cent of these camping motorists are in search of desirable locations for homes. Motor touring throughout the Pacific Northwest promises to reach higher totals this year than in any former 12 months.

## IS MARSTON NEXT?

Edith Cummings is the latest gold champion to be dethroned. The woman's title holder went 40 per cent of the recent national tournament. All three of the national title holders in England have been beaten this year. Bobby Jones was unable to hold the American open title. Will Max Marston, amateur king, be next to go?

These two-inch belts the sheiks are wearing make a nice hold for kicking one in the pants.

## The Ruths and What They Say



BABE RUTH AND MRS. RUTH

The above picture shows Babe Ruth, possibly you've heard of the gentleman—and Mrs. Babe in some sort of deep, earnest discussion.

Presumably the subject is baseball. Very likely it concerns home runs. What else would a great home-run hitter and a great home-run hitter's wife be discussing?

Mrs. Ruth has probably said to Mr. Ruth: "Gee whiz, Babe, you aren't socking the old apple half as hard as I looked for you to do this year. What's ailing you, anyhow?"

And you can just hear Mr. Ruth, in his fine old, optimistic way, answering: "Honey, just you wait. I'll get going yet and show these huns what home-run hitting really is."

But what they really said, according to the unromantic photographer, who brought the picture into our office, was this:

The Babe: "Well, hurry up and shoot, I don't wanna miss my time at bat."

Mrs. Babe: "Heaven sakes! Why don't you let a body know you're going to take pictures? I look terrible in this hat."

## Washington May Crack Down Home Stretch As Yankees Improve Form

By HENRY L. FARRELL, United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—In a torrid pennant race, such as is being staged in the major leagues victory depends largely upon the ability to stay away from the fatal cracking stage.

And in the grand rough and tumble between the New York Yankees and the Washington Senators in the American league, it begins to look as though the Yankees are not going to crack. The same cannot be said of the Senators.

### Yanks Good Travelers

The handicap of finishing the season on the road was imposed by the schedule on both the Yankees and the Senators and the Yankees are better qualified to stand the gaff.

The Yankees always have been a good traveling club. This year the tendency they have shown to play better ball away from home may be due to the rather queer sentiment of the New York fans. During their recent stay at home, the Yankees found that the stands were more for their opponents and the disposition to cheer the opposing team obviously affected the play of the team.

### Pirates Move Closer

The Senators lack the experience of the Yankees and they are going along depending almost entirely upon the pitching staff which is beginning to show the strain. Johnson has had to have relief in several of his recent starts and Morigiue has been wobbling.

### While the Yankees were beating the Pirates yesterday, the Senators were downed by the Tigers and the Yankees moved into a tie for first place with the Tigers only four games behind.

The Giants and the Robins were idle yesterday in the National league but the Pirates won and they moved up within a game and a half of the Robins and two games and a half behind the Giants.

## Tinker to Evers to Chance Combination Finally Snaps

By BILLY EVANS

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—Watching a star outfielder make a brilliant catch of a difficult fly ball is one of the big thrills of the national pastime.

Fandom likes to see the batsman get a long drive. A hard-hit ball calls for the best that is in the outfielder in the way of judgment and perfect mechanical execution.

For nearly 20 years Trix Speaker, now managing the Cleveland club, has been rated the perfect fielder. Uncommon judgment, good speed and nearly perfect mechanical ability have made Speaker the master outfielder.

Ty Cobb, generally regarded as the greatest player of all time, has not only been a star in the field but in every other department of the game. Throughout his career he has teamed with color.

Then along came Ruth. Right now the Babe is baseball's most talked about individual, has been for several years. First a pitcher, then an outfielder of parts, now baseball's premier slugger, Ruth is the idol of fans.

### Four Stars are Passing

Eddie Roush of the Cincinnati Reds, while perhaps lacking the color of the above named trio, is none the less valuable.

These four great players are going the other way. Speaker and Cobb, at the very best, only have a few years left.

Who will take the places of these stars?

The National League already has in nomination two recruits, Hazen Cuyler of Pittsburgh and "Hack" Wilson of the New York Giants.

The American League presents Earl Combs, who unfortunately for himself and the Yankees suffered a broken leg in mid-season. Combs I regard as the best-looking young outfielder that has broken into the American League in 10 years.

It is rather unusual that one season should produce three such likely stars as Cuyler, Wilson and Combs.

### Rookies Displace

Cuyler and Wilson did the unexpected by displacing star veterans in their first year. At Pittsburgh Rubeen gave way to Cuyler, while Wilson for a while beat out the brilliant Billy Southworth for the center field position at New York. Although Wilson was benched recently, he is expected to recover from his temporary slump soon and get back in the game.

While Combs was injured before he had won a regular berth in the Yankee outfield, there was no way of keeping him out. At the time of his injury he was leading the American League in batting.

## Plays Two Years and Never Out One Second

DETROIT, Sept. 16.—Harold Eckerman, Michigan Aggie, has a unique football record. Eckerman has been a member of the Aggies for two seasons, during which time he has played every minute of every game.

Eckerman is a center and has one more season to play. He hopes to keep intact his remarkable record for the remainder of his college gridiron career.

Stanley Majfield, former University of Michigan tackle, saw three seasons' work on the Yost eleven, taking part in every conference game played during that stretch and was out of the lineup for only two minutes all told.

Facts like these are rare. College football is too tough a game for a player to escape the injury bugaboo entirely.

## Great Legs!



HAROLD VESTERMARK

IOWA CITY, Sept. 16.—An aimless boy is expected to be the outstanding star of the Iowa University track team next year. His name is Harold Vestermark, and he is a sophomore.

Vestermark will go in both for the sprints and the distances. Coach Bershan is counting on him particularly for the cross-country runs.

Vestermark's legs are superbly developed. Bershan calls them "the perfect running type."

Vestermark fell from a tree when a boy, fractured both arms and lost them when blood poisoning set in.

## PCLO MATCHES SLATED TODAY

Britons With Back to Wall Today

MEADOW BROOK CLUB, WESTBURY, L. I., Sept. 16.—Britons fight best with their backs to the wall and America's housewren, defending the international polo trophy, expected a hard battle in the second and probably deciding match at Meadowbrook today.

Despite dissension in the British ranks, which resulted in a new lineup for today's contest, the invading polo four got into the match bent on making one of those forlorn hope stands for which their country is noted.

Weakened condition of the Americans by the loss of Stevenson, whose injury Saturday, should win by a large margin, but fear look to them to beat the overwhelming triumph of Saturday. The absence of Stevenson, who waited 11 years for a chance to represent the United States in international competition, only to be hurried from his pony and badly hurt in the final chucker, disappointed the Americans.

## HOME RUN LEADERS

Ruth, Yankees	46
Fournier, Robins	27
Hauser, Athletics	26
Hornshy, Cardinals	25
Williams, Phillies	21

Davis has been so busy he must be away behind his hay pitch log.

This "Ain't gonna rain no more" song must be getting in its work from the droughts being reported.

## NOTICE

Dr. T. A. Fears is not associated with my office any more.

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## Another Day In the Majors

Yesterday's hero—Rip Collins from Texas, Tiger pitcher, held the Senators to four hits and won his game, 2 to 0, forcing Washington back into a tie with New York for first place.

Two singles by Ruth and Menzel behind two passes from Faber scored a pair of runs and gave the Yankees a 2 to 0 victory over the White Sox. Johnny Morrison's sacrifice fly in the seventh inning scored a run and enabled the Pirates to beat the Braves, 4 to 2.

Timely hitting behind Vangilder's pitching gave the Browns a 4 to 3 victory over the Red Sox.

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## FINANCES NOW BIG PROBLEM

Old Members Anxious to Play Again

PORT ARTHUR'S football team, the "Port Arthur Pirates," may be seen in action again this fall.

Nothing definite has been done as yet, but the prospects are that the zebra-striped eleven will be back on the local gridiron. A number of the members of the old team are said to have signified their desire of playing again.

Whether or not the financial end can be arranged is another matter. Port Arthur, with a somewhat out-of-the-way location for securing home games, boasts no particular grandstand facilities and if guarantees run too high on visiting teams, the financial responsibility is no joke. However, this will be solved, it is asserted in Port Arthur, and the old-time classy exhibitions of the Pirates will be seen again.

### Competition Anxious

Should not be any particular difficulty. While it might not be very easy to schedule games with high school eleven, still there are numerous freshmen teams from the larger schools as well as smaller college teams that could be secured for Port Arthur games. Army teams in San Antonio—and there are any number of them in the Alamo city with numbers of old college stars on them—are always anxious for good games.

Angling is no being done to provide the financial basis for putting the Pirates on the field again. The initial cost will be rather severe, as complete equipment will have to be bought for the team.

## Knight of Grip Finds Stars in Big League

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Here is a traveling man with something new, baseball as a side line.

Jose Hirsch, known from coast to coast as the "Beau Brummel" of the knights of the grip, is the individual.

Whether playing the major league circuits or the tank towns, Hirsch always so arranges his business that he can take in the ball game during the afternoon.

During the past 10 years Hirsch who doesn't get a penny out of his baseball efforts, won't even accept a season pass, has recommended at least a dozen ball players to major league clubs who have made good.

Long before Frankie Frisch joined the Giants, Hirsch had touted the now famous star. Joe Dugan was another player he tipped off, but Connie Mack had him tied up.

Hirsch, who is a college man, starting in athletics during his "Rah-Rah" days, naturally leans to the college player. However, a number of the players he has touted got their start on the sandlots.

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I AM LEAVING YOU IN FULL CHARGE OF MY HEADQUARTERS - FROM NOW TILL ELECTION DAY YOU WILL BE AS BUSY AS A FLEA AT A DOG SHOW - I WANT YOU TO BUILD UP AN ORGANIZATION THAT WILL WORK AS SMOOTH AS A SEAL'S OVERCOAT -

YOU WON'T HAVE A THING TO WORRY ABOUT - I'LL TAKE CARE OF ALL IMPORTANT MATTERS AS SOON AS THEY COME UP -

I WANT YOU TO TAKE CARE OF IMPORTANT MATTERS BEFORE THEY COME UP - WHILE I KNOW THE VOTERS ARE RALLYING TO MY STANDARD LIKE FLIES AROUND A SUGAR FACTORY, I WANT EACH STATE DIVIDED INTO DISTRICTS - EACH DISTRICT INTO PRECINCTS - I WANT A CARD INDEX OF EVERY VOTER SHOWING

WRITE THIS STUFF DOWN SO THERE'LL BE NO MISTAKES - I WANT VOTES, NOT ALIBIS - YOU OBEY MY ORDERS AND WHEN I AM ELECTED YOU CAN TELL EVERYBODY THAT YOU PLANNED IT ALL - I KNOW I'M GOING TO WIN - BUT I'M NOT GOING TO LET OVERCONFIDENCE CUT DOWN MY PLURALITY - A GAME ROOSTER DOESN'T START TO CROW TILL AFTER HE HAS WON THE FIGHT -

REG'LAR FELLERS

Fair Enough

By GENE BYRNES

YOU'GHTA SEE THE SWELL PITCHER I JUST SAW! ROARIN' BIFF ELLISON THE COWBOY! HE BIFFS ABOUT FIVE HUNDRED INDIANS! HE KILLS SEVEN INDIANS WITH ONE SHOT!

AN HE CAN RIDE A HORSE STANDIN' ON HIS HEAD! AN HE RASSELS TWO INDIANS OFF A CLIFF AN' SAVES THE GOIL AN' PUNCHES EIGHT INDIANS IN THE NOSE N'EVERYTHING!

I'D LOVE TO SEE THAT PITCHER BUT ALL I HAVE IS A DIME!

THAT'S ALL I HAVE - TEN CENTS!

MISTER CANT WE GET IN ON ONE TICKET IF WE EACH KEEP ONE EYE SHUT?

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

He Got the Cookie

By BLOSSER

I'LL LEAVE MY DOG AND IF AT HOME TODAY AN GO OVER TO MISSUS MFGOOSEY'S BY MYSELF AN' MEBBE SHE'LL GIMME A COOKIE OR SOMETHIN'

Y'KNOW WHAT MY MOM GIVES ME EVERY DAY, MISSUS MFGOOSEY?

WHAT DOES YOUR MOTHER GIVE YOU EVERY DAY, JAY?

SHE GIVES ME A BIG BANANA

THIS IS THE TIME I GET THE BEST OF JAY - WHAT IF YOUR MOTHER DOESN'T WANT TO HAVE ANY BANANAS THOUGH?

OH, THEN SHE GIVES ME A COOKIE!

SALESMAN SAM

Foolish Question No. 1398764

By SWAN

COMPETITION! NOT IF I CAN HELP IT! I'LL GUZZ HENCE THE NEW TONIC BROWN THE STREET FROM GUZZLEM' HOWDY CO SEEM TO BE AT THE MENCH OF MR. GUZZLEM AT 14 HOUR OF MIDNIGHT DRAWN NEWS

YEAH - THASS TH SIGN - RIP TH DARN THING DOWN - I'LL SHOW THEM I DONT STAND FOR ANY MONKEY-BUSINESS

WHAT TH - ?

HEY - WHAT TH SAM HILL ARE YOU TEARING THAT SIGN DOWN FOR?

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By AHERN

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY

I UNDERSTAND THAT ONE OF YOUR NO GOOD, VAGABOND, SCALLYWAG, WORK DODGING FRIENDS SPENT LAST NIGHT IN THIS HOUSE, WITH YOU IN YOUR BED! - HE LEFT ONE OF HIS SOCKS BEHIND, AND FROM THE LOOKS OF IT, I THINK HE WAS IN SHERMAN'S MARCH TO THE SEA!

YOU SPEAK VERY HARSH OF MY GOOD FRIEND, MR. ARCHER LANGFORD! IT MAY INTEREST YOU TO KNOW THAT MR. LANGFORD IS VICE PRESIDENT OF A BIG CORPORATION! HE WAS ONLY IN TOWN LAST NIGHT AND GAVE UP HIS EXCELLENT HOTEL ROOM TO RETIRE HERE!

WHAT'S TH' PLOT ALL ABOUT? - THEY'RE PEEVED ABOUT SOMETHIN! - IS IT THEIR WEDDING ANNIVERSARY?

OH - TH' MAJOR TOWED IN ANOTHER WRECK LAST NIGHT! - HE CLEARED PORT EARLY THIS MORNING!

YOU SAY HARRISON WAS PRESIDENT WHEN WHAT SOLD FOR A DIME?

NO-NO-NO I SAY MEBBE HE'LL REMEMBER WHEN BRYAN RAN THE FIRST TIME!

FROM NOW ON YOU'RE WET!

YOU CANT PROVE IT!

HE HAD TH BEST OF IT - TH' FIRST TWO HOURS!

HE HAD TH ARGUMENT WON - TILL ABER GOT MAD!

STAND BACK GIVE IM AIR!

THE POLITICAL ARGUMENT IN HOADLEY'S STORE YESTERDAY WAS A TAME AFFAIR COMPARED TO WHAT HAPPENED IN FRONT OF THE LIVERY STABLE TODAY.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON  
NO. 10—NICK GETS A COMPLIMENT

"But will they fit?" asked Mrs. Frog anxiously.

"We're getting along just fine," said Mister Snip Snap to the Twins. "If we keep on we'll soon have all the children of Meadow-Woods-Barnyard Land ready for school. But there is one person who hasn't been into to buy anything yet, and that's Mrs. Frog. She hasn't brought a single one of her boys in to get a school suit. Suppose you go, Nick, and see if you can coax her to come to our store in the woods and get them some clothes."

"All right," said Nick. "I'll go right away."

So off he went. And it didn't take him three minutes to find the place where Mrs. Frog lived because his shoes were magic.

You, my dears, would have hunted, and I should have hunted, for days and days together without finding her house under the Billy pads in the bond.

But Nick went right straight to it. And he knocked on her front door.

Mrs. Frog herself opened it.

"Why, hoo d' do!" she said, for she was a pleasant person.

"I'm pretty well, thank you," said Nick. "And I hope you are well, too! I came to tell you about the new store called 'Saney, Nick & Company.' I'm Nick. We have all sorts of school clothes, and we were thinking that if any of your children were going to start to school, you might be wanting to buy some."

"But will they fit?" asked Mrs. Frog anxiously. "If they shouldn't happen to fit, what would I do?"

"Oh, we'll give you your money back," said Nick.

"All right, then," said Mrs. Frog. "You may take their measure now and make a suit for each of them. They are all boys."

"That's just fine," said Nick. "I'll measure them now and we'll make suits for them and send them to about a week."

"All right," said Mrs. Frog, calling to her pollywog children who were swimming near the front door.

"Come, boys, and hold still while this gentleman measures you for your new school suits," she said.

"All right, mammy," they answered. "Here we are. We'll hold as still as ever we can."

Nick stepped into the water and measured them all, and then he said goodbye and went back to the little store where Nancy and Mister Snip Snap were finishing some clothes for the Muskrat family.

"Here you are," said Nick. "But instead of making places for tails, Mister Snip Snap, be sure to make places for four legs, because the pollywogs are so big they'll be frogs in less than a week. Mrs. Frog didn't say so, but I know."

"All right," said Mister Snip Snap. "I will."

"And make them out of rubber instead of cloth," said Nick. "For frogs won't stay out of water, and cloth will shrink."

"Say, Nickie," said the fairman. "You're getting as smart as a crow. I believe you'll learn this business yet."

Which pleased Nick, you may be sure.

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CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE

By Uncle RAY

THE CABOTS REACH NORTH AMERICA

While Columbus was waiting for the king and queen of Spain to decide about his first westward trip he received a letter from the king of England, Henry the Seventh.

King Henry told Columbus that "maybe" a fleet could be given him to sail "west to India." If the "maybe" had been a "surely," American history might have been different. As King Henry, he said:

"England should have a share in the trade of the east. Let me sail straight west to Cathay, then south to India."

The king was glad to grant his request, and gave him the right to get ready a fleet of five ships.

In 1497, about the time Vasco da Gama was sailing around the Cape of Good Hope, John Cabot reached the coast of North America. He and his sailors were the earliest white men to reach the shores of the northern continent, except for the Northmen who had come almost 500 years before.

The coast of Labrador was reached first. Then some time was spent coasting down the shores of what is now the United States.

Sebastian Cabot appears to have been on this voyage. In later years, he became perhaps even greater as a sailor than his father. For many years he was in the service of England. He is said to have sailed English ships as far south as Florida and as far north as Hudson bay. (Copyright, the John F. Dille Co., Chicago.)

Prays For Pacifists As Legion Meet Opens

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 16.—Praying for the pacifists, that "their hearts might be as soft as their heads," Ezra C. Clemons, chaplain, today invoked the "patience of God" for them, in opening the sixth national convention of the American Legion.

"God knows," he said, "we do not want war, but we pray that we shall be adequately prepared to fight for God and country if we ever need to be prepared."

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## SHIPPING BOOM CONTINUED HERE

5 Arrivals, 3 Sailings Reported Today

Continued boom in shipping circles marked Tuesday's activities, with five arrivals and three sailings reported for the entire district. Two British tankers arrived in port today, the War Diwan coming in from New Orleans to load out at the Texas Company terminals and the Arcadio coming from Key West to take on a cargo at the Magnolia docks in Beaumont. The War Diwan is being loaded by the Texas Company and the Arcadio by the Sydney C. Collin company.

The Solitaire is also loading out at the Texas Company docks, and the Gulfprince was scheduled to make port today to take cargo from the Gulf company docks for a return coastwise trip.

The Hahira sailed up the canal this morning for the Atreco to take on a cargo of oil at the Atlantic Refining company's docks. Among the sailings reported today were the West Ekono, which sailed with a cargo of oil and lumber for South America via New Orleans; and the New York which is taking a cargo to Charleston and Jacksonville. Both loaded out at the Texas Company. The West Ekono is being loaded by the Lykes-Sitgreaves agency.

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Solitaire, 2627, at Port Arthur from New Orleans, Texas Company.  
War Diwan (Br), 2446, at Port Arthur from New Orleans, Charles Martin company.  
Gulfprince, 4098, at Port Arthur from Philadelphia, Gulf company.  
Hahira, 4475, at Port Arthur from Philadelphia, Atlantic Refining company.

Arcadio (Br), 3423, at Beaumont from Key West, Sydney C. Collin company.

**SAILED SEPT. 16**  
New York, 5045, from Port Arthur for Charleston and Jacksonville, Texas Company.

Sch. Blakely, 630, from Port Arthur for New Orleans, Texas Company.

West Ekono, 3453, from Port Arthur for South America via New Orleans, Lykes-Sitgreaves.

**IN PORT**  
Texas Company Docks  
Solitaire, 2627, Texas Company.  
War Diwan (Br), 2446, Charles Martin company.

Virginia, 5048, Texas Company.  
Gulf Company Docks  
Ligonier, 2399, Gulf company.  
Gulfstream, 3202, Gulf company.  
Guilford, 3202, Gulf company.  
J. M. Gaffey, 1362, Gulf company.  
Gulfprince, 4098, Gulf company.

**Atlantic Company Docks**  
Hahira, 4475, Atlantic Refining company.

**Grain Elevator**  
Clarissa Radcliffe (Br), 3501, Sydney C. Collin company.

**AT ORANGE**  
Sch. Hope Sherman, 522, Litcher Moore Lumber company.

Sch. Edward B. Winslow, 1206, W. H. Tippin company.

**AT BEAUMONT**  
Hampton Roads, 4577, Sydney C. Collin company.

Suscolano, 2174, Transmarine corporation.

Capena (Ital), 3421, Magnolia company.

Arcadio (Br), 3423, Sydney C. Collin company.

**BAROMETER READING**  
The corrected reading of the barometer (reduced to sea level) at the U. S. weather bureau office at Port Arthur, Texas, on Tuesday, Sept. 16, at 7 a. m., was 30.00 inches. This closely approximates 762.0 millimeters.

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## Miss Spain



Now they're doing it in Spain. Meaning national beauty contests. Out of 700 beauties from as many cities and towns, Miss, or rather Senorita Mary Gurini (above) walked away with the first honors at Madrid.

## Says Justice Should Not Fail In All

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 16.—"The fact that justice falls down in one place is no reason that it should fail in every case," says District Attorney Phillip Vanice, commenting on the Grant case in Chicago. "The law in Illinois provides for the death penalty in certain cases. Judge Caverly disgraced the bench with his decision in the Loeb-Leopold case. If young Grant was convicted and sentenced on proper evidence he should suffer the proper penalty. Justice must pocket in spite of set backs from sentimental juries and spineless judges."

## Council Action On New Fire Truck Soon

Fire Chief LaRose's recommendation on a new fire truck will be submitted to the city commission tomorrow morning, following wrecking of a truck in an accident Sunday.

E. P. Baker was before the commission this morning and heard LaRose tell the commission that he needed a truck to carry about 3000 pounds, with running boards, seat front and rear fenders, and able to make 40 miles an hour. The fire equipment will be placed on the chassis by the fire department.

## FIND BODY AFTER THREE-HOUR QUEST

SWEETWATER, Texas, Sept. 16.—The body of W. L. Hunter, Jr., 7 years old, was found in a shallow water tank near his home after a three-hour search here last night. Playmates of the boy said they became frightened when he sank and ran away.

## TIDE REPORT

The tide in the ship canal at Port Arthur, Texas, on Tuesday, Sept. 16, at 8 a. m., according to the U. S. engineer's gauge was 1.1 (one and one-tenth) foot.

## RAPID SERVICE ON KODAK FINISHING

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## PRESBYTERY IN SESSION TODAY

First Conference at Houston Held Tonight

The Houston Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., convenes tonight at 7:45 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church, Mobile and Fifth street.

The principal address of the evening will be delivered by H. C. Glenn, president of the Temple Trust company of Temple, Mr. Glenn will speak on "God as the Owner and Man as the Steward" and will tell of the chaotic condition of society as represented in our American democracy.

All the laymen of every church in the city are cordially invited to hear this layman, Rev. T. Alvis Davis, pastor host said today. Rev. Davis urges those who are taking delegates to be present this evening so delegates may be assigned them.

## MAY HOLD EXAMS FOR MOVIE OPERATORS

Port Arthur movie operators will be placed under an examining board, following a suggestion made to the commission this morning by W. A. Labadie, of the local operators' union. Labadie said every city in Texas enforced the law requiring examination of operators except Port Arthur and Beaumont. Fees ranging from \$2.50 to \$5 are collected by the city, Labadie said.

Mayor Logan instructed Fire Chief LaRose to get information from the Out of 700 beauties from as many cities and towns, Miss, or rather Senorita Mary Gurini (above) walked away with the first honors at Madrid.

Candidates for office will pitch hay or do almost anything except enter the bathing beauty contests.

In New Mexico, a man lived 122 years, which certainly is lots of sitting around.

## Personal

COSMOPOLITAN LODGE NO. 872, A. F. & A. M.

Called meeting Wednesday, Sept. 17th, 7 p. m. for examinations in all degrees.

Waiting on meeting Thursday, Sept. 18th, 8 p. m. for transaction of business.

Good attendance requested. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

C. J. HILL, W. M.  
GEO. WEDDELL, Sec.

## Special Notices

I will not be responsible for any more debts made by Mrs. A. J. Webb. Signed A. J. Webb.

## NOTICE

Mr. A. S. Kerr, formerly general manager of the Port Arthur Building and Loan Association, has resigned this office and is no longer connected with this association. Mr. Travis Lambert has been appointed to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Kerr's resignation.

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## Lost and Found

LOST keys on Procter street. Party finding same please phone 157.

## (CONTINUED)

WALLET containing over \$100 checks, \$4.00 currency, Lincoln or Washington avenue. Finder keep money return wallet and checks to 713 Houston. Phone 1328.

## Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Fifteen boys to answer dodgers. Apply W. T. Farley.

## Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Experienced waitress. Nichols Cafe, 348 Procter St.

RELIABLE white or colored woman for general housework, willing to stay some nights. 3149 Procter St.

## Salemen Wanted

GENT'S furnishing and clothing salesman. Apply by letter giving experience and reference. Box "B" care News.

## Rooms For Rent

BEDROOM for rent to lady who works. 1895 Lake Shore, phone 540.

LARGE bedroom nicely furnished, connecting bath, garage, meals if desired. 2138 Thirteenth.

ROOM for one or two men, all modern conveniences with or without meals. Phone 2147-W, 849 Procter.

BEDROOMS for gentlemen, single beds. 445 Stillwell, phone 1165-W.

ATTRACTIVELY furnished room for rent, alone or two teachers, in private family. Will have to be seen to be appreciated. Within walking distance of all three schools. Price reasonable. Write Box "F" 111 care The News.

ONE room and garage. Reasonable. 923 DeQueen Blvd.

ONE room and garage, private family. 2535 Eleventh.

ROOMS for rent at 901 Sixth St.

BEDROOM nicely furnished, connecting bath, \$15 per month. 2735 Procter, phone 2459-X.

ROOMS for rent and meals if desired. 1713 Procter, phone 356-W.

NICE southeast room, large clothes closet, men only. 1019 Procter.

MODERN ROOM FOR GENTLEMEN. 915 Sixth street, phone 1517.

ROOM—Private family, hot, cold water. 817 Fifth street.

CHELMORA, 616 Sixth, cool rooms for gentlemen, modern, hot water, also garage.

SOUTH bedroom, private, lavatory, hot, cold water, \$30.00. 1225 Procter, phone 520.

OFFICE rooms, cool, modern. 524 Fifth street, Harris Book Store.

## Housekeeping Rooms

THREE large unfurnished rooms. Apply 2147 Eighth or phone 513-J.

TWO complete furnished housekeeping rooms, gas, water, lights, private bath. 1041 Eighth. Inquire in the rear.

FOR RENT—Three rooms furnished for light housekeeping, upstairs. Children not desired. Apply 904 Seventh street.

TWO rooms, lights and water, private front and rear entrance. 626 East Fifteenth.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms, couple only. Also garage. 925 Sixth.

THREE unfurnished rooms with or without garage. 1619 Thirteenth.

TWO or 3 furnished light housekeeping rooms, desirable location. 442 Nashville avenue, phone 102.

TWO furnished rooms, modern for light housekeeping, no children. 1625 Fifth.

TWO furnished light, housekeeping rooms with gas light and water and garage, and bedroom. 263 Eighth St.

## Apartments For Rent

ONE of the Murr front apartments, 1117 Procter. Phone 2053-W, call 1516 Houston.

FIVE unfurnished rooms downstairs and garage for rent, \$25 per month. 2849 Procter.

FIVE-ROOM apartment, all modern, new, in best part of town. 2128 Procter, phone 1514.

MODERN furnished apartment. 645 Ninth, phone 251-W.

TWO modern furnished apartments for rent. 1605 Fifth, phone 417-W.

APARTMENT, all modern conveniences, 319 Lake Shore drive. Apply Fuller's Cafe.

FOUR-ROOM apartment, corner Lake Shore and DeQueen. Has to be seen to be appreciated. Also room to gentleman with car. Phone 1542.

FOR RENT—Four-room apartment, hot water heaters, shades, garage. 817 Mobile avenue. \$10.00. Apply at phone or call E. L. VAUGHAN & CO. Phone 91.

MODERN 6-room apartment in brick building. 1211 Procter, phone 1901.

MODERN APARTMENTS rent reduced. See them, 1021 Ninth street and the "Daleys".

## Houses For Rent

FIVE-ROOM modern, \$20.00 per month. 221 Fifth, phone 2053-W.

FIVE-ROOM modern house, one block from Catholic school, 1225 Sixth. Apply 1225 Sixth.

FOR RENT—Five-room house, modern, convenient for 2 families. Also 3 rooms, modern, at 305 Eighth street. Store at 124 Houston Ave. Inquire at 2525 Fourth street, phone 918.

HOUSE for rent, 114 Ninth street. Business place for rent. Houston avenue and Ninth street. Phone 1102-W.

FOUR-ROOM modern house at 628 Fourth street. Inquire 629 Fourth.

THREE-ROOM house, \$12 per month. 357 Twelfth St. Apply 129 Third.

MODERN 6-room house and garage. Phone 1506-W.

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SEVEN-ROOM house on Fourteenth and San Antonio avenue. Apply 654 Houston Ave.

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SEVEN rooms, modern, and garage. 320 Third street. Apply 215 Lake Shore.

MODERN 7-room house, corner of Nashville and Sixth street. Phone 2563-J.

FIVE-ROOM house, 219 Mobile avenue, hot, cold water connections. Phone 1526.

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GOOD MORNING, JONES. BY THE WAY, HOW ABOUT THAT TEN I WAS TO GET BACK SIX MONTHS AGO? I'VE SPOKEN TO YOU SEVERAL TIMES ABOUT IT.



YOU'VE GOT A DIFFERENT STORY EVERY TIME! YOU CHANGED YOUR CLOTHES, SO I'M GOING TO CHANGE MY METHOD OF ATTACK, AND THIS TIME IT'LL BE FROM THE REAR, AND THE TROUSERS YOU HAVE ON WON'T BE IN THE WAY!!!



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ROOM and BOARD in private home for three young men. 1631 Sixth St. day, 1905 Houston. Phone 2047-W.

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Rooms \$3.00 to \$10.00 per week. Hot and Cold Bath. Excellent Dining Room Cafe. Joe Gaston, Manager of Dining Room. Mrs. K. C. Rogers, Prop.

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GOOD second-hand motorcycle. Route 1, box 118, phone 1855.

A LOT between Ninth street and Twelfth street. 1257 Waco Ave.

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CLARK PRAISED IN DAVIS TALK

Old-Fashioned Political Address to Missourians

EASTWOOD FARMS, BUNCE-TON, Mo., Sept. 16.—In the picturesque setting of an old fashioned barbecue, John W. Davis, democratic presidential candidate, today made an old fashioned political speech to Missouri democracy.

Davis first stirred the enthusiasm of his monster audience of 40,000 gathered from all parts of central Missouri, a democratic stronghold, by calling the roll of Missouri statesmen of by-gone days:

Benton, Vest, Cockrell, Stone and Champ Clark.

Magical Effect

It was a new method of campaigning for Davis and the effect on the crowd was magical. The mere mention of revered democratic names brought storms of applause from the crowd and rebel yells from bent be-whiskered men who smoked corn cobs and nodded approval at every word the candidate spoke.

In glowing tribute to Champ Clark, Davis threw in a personal touch by referring to the kindness of the late speaker to him when a young member of the house.

Democracy Richer

"The democracy of the nation is poorer for the passing but richer for the life of Champ Clark," he said.

Then taking his inspiration from the crowd, Davis flayed the republican party, calling it the party of "special privilege" reviewed the scandals in the administration and pledged himself to give the people an honest government, if elected.

Davis made an appeal to the women of the country to support the democratic ticket by declaring that the party's ideal "is an exact and equal partnership, with all men and women of the nation working side by side for the common welfare of themselves and their prosperity."

Nation Needs Men

"There is, there can be, neither diversity nor conflict in their interests," he said, "and the nation needs now and always the strength of their joint endeavor."

For that reason Davis expressed the hope that Missouri would elect Mrs. Kate Morrow, the democratic nominee, S. O. S. He also referred to the fact that a woman is running for the same office in West Virginia, his native state.

Davis took up the question of cheaper transportation and declared for lower freight rates and the development of inland waterways in a scientific way, with "pork barrel" and "log rolling" methods eliminated.

The great democratic mass meeting was held on the farm of Dr. Arthur W. Nelson, democratic candidate for governor. Before the speaking began the crowd feasted on tons of barbecued beef and mutton, fried chicken and cakes and pies baked by the women of the surrounding counties.

HOLY OF HOLIES ABOUT TO FALL

LONDON, Sept. 16.—Mecca, holy of holies of the Islamic World, is about to fall into the hands of the Sultan of Nejd, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Cairo.

The sultan, Ibn Saud, defeated King Hussein, his rival, at Haifa, in Arabia and now is in a position to capture the holy city if he wishes. The Moslem world is vastly disturbed by the news.

May Seek Shelter

If Mecca falls, Hussein is expected to take refuge in Jeddah, seeking security under the shelter of guns of the British navy.

Although reports from Constantinople said that the French general Weizsacker had ordered Syrians to facilitate the passage of British troops to Palestine, it was believed here that Britain would not intervene beyond offering protection to Hussein.

Intervention in the Islamic warfare, it is felt here, would lay the British open to the gravest misrepresentation in the Moslem world.

King Hussein's assumption of the title of caliph never was accepted in India, Egypt or Turkey, nor even universally in Arabia. In India he was bitterly resented.

Great Britain is obliged to proceed warily at the moment in view of the acute Mohammedan-Hindu differences in Bengal and the central provinces.

Hussein himself is unpopular among Mohammedans.

New York Balloting For State Officers

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 16.—New York voters went to the primary polls today to name candidates for congress, the state legislature and county officers.

While hundreds of nominations are to be made, there are less than 50 contests throughout the state.

Interest still centers in Governor Smith's decision as to whether he will again head the state ticket.

A conference at the executive mansion tomorrow night is expected to settle his decision.

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OUT OUR WAY



NO WONDER DE MILLE GETS INSPIRATION!

HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 16.—With what openly assumed derision but secret envy our Habbitt men chuckle at the luxurious and "impossible" working office which Cecil R. De Mille provides for the heroes in his grandiose business world pictures.

Such a business sanctum for instance as is shown in the accompanying illustration. A movie extravaganza. Nothing like it actually along our big or little Main streets. A practical, level-headed man couldn't work in a place like that.

This happens, however, to be De Mille's own work room, not a movie set.

Instead of desks with austere angles, filing cases, framed pictures of factories and the conventional furnishings within four prosaic walls, the director-general of Paramount pictures surrounds himself with strange objects in a dimly lighted Gothic cloister.

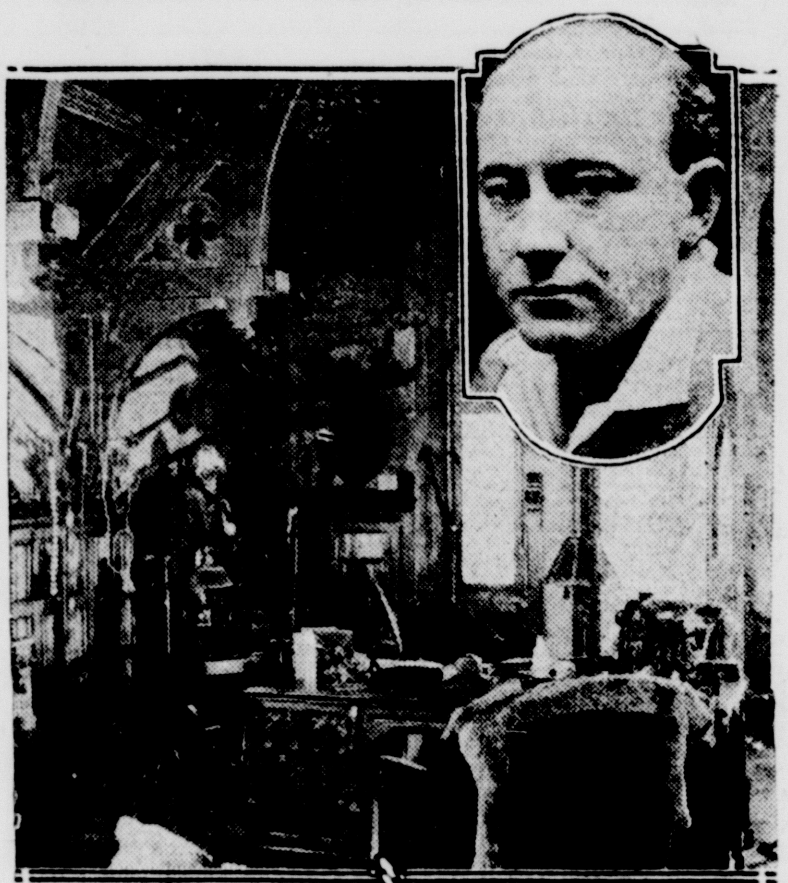
From a carved desk, the eyes of those who come seeking conference or picture preferment are lured to fragments of armor, mounted animal heads, a large collection of historic firearms.

At the Gothic door leading to the office of Jeanie Macpherson, his special scenario writer, is an ancient Chinese field piece, flanked by a tank gun from the late war. Adjacent are stuffed leaping Tuna and Marlin swordfish, De Mille's first big personal trophies of the deep. On a refectory table bearing a hand-illustrated missal of the middle ages is a collection of ancient and modern pistols. A dispatch case of the King of Siam. A quaint oriental bell.

Tiger and bear skins cover the floor. Many famous film personages have stumbled over the white bear head directly in front of De Mille's desk.

In one corner is a collection of rare religious objects from several nations. An aged carved wooden figure of John the Baptist from the ruins of a Spanish altar. A carved ivory Chinese goddess. An iron Japanese Buddha, from medieval time. Another of jade.

At the far end of the office is a divan fronting a huge fireplace where



CECIL R. DE MILLE AND HIS BUSINESS OFFICE AT PARAMOUNT IN HOLLYWOOD.

logs burn in cool weather. Above the hearth is an immense moose head, a Canadian trophy.

Here and there are mementoes of the director's biggest pictures—battle flags from "Jeanie the Woman."

Also Cecil De Mille is a shrewd showman. His working cloister is calculated to enhance the impression of personality and power he has graven upon his associates and the public. His office is a lesson in personal salesmanship to the Habbitt men who sneak from bleak desk rooms to coo and caw the luxurious quarters of De Mille's picture heroes.

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"WANDERER OF THE WASTELAND"

Noah Beery, one of the screen's best known "heavyweights," learned his "villainous" first hand.

Noah made the usual boyish entrance in the school room, and was assigned his seat. Right then came the thrill of his life. Across from him sat Jesse James, Jr., son of the famous American character.

The juniors became friends. Jesse often told Noah thrilling stories of adventure and Noah soon came to know every character associated with Jesse James from tales related by his son.

A few years later, the stage was calling for "villains," and Noah and Wallace answered the call.

"Wanderer of the Wasteland," starting today at the Peoples Theater for a run of five days, brings Beery

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SENTENCES OF SLAYERS SCORED

Chicago Preachers Bitterly Denounce Prison Term

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—Chicago ministers united in Sunday sermons attacking the life imprisonment sentences imposed on Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb, millionaire youths who killed 14-year-old Bobby Franks.

"It matters little what becomes of the two arch criminals, Loeb and Leopold, but it makes a great deal of difference to the millions who have watched these men escape justice because of their money and influence," declared the Rev. Martin Luther Thomas, pastor of the Deerfield Presbyterian church.

Suggests Resignation

Rev. Thomas, who soon will move to San Pedro, Calif., suggested that State Attorney Robert E. Crowe should resign in protest to the sentence.

"This extreme crime deserved the extreme penalty of the law," Dr. M. P. Bornton, pastor of the Wodlawn Baptist church, declared.

The Rev. William McNamee, from the pulpit of St. Patrick's Catholic church, said he had long been a personal friend of John R. Caverly, who sentenced the boys to the state penitentiary at Joliet. He declared the sentence brought an end to personalities and friendships.

"False Philosophy"

"We must condemn the false philosophy which Judge Caverly's decision advocates," Rev. McNamee said. "We must have real men on the bench, not weaklings. It is a sorry setback for our reputed democracy and a dastardly example to have."

Other ministers in practically every denomination expressed similar sentiments in the course of their sermons.

TO HALT JUNTA

Naval Secretary Rushed Back to Washington

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Secretary of the Navy Wilbur has been summoned to Washington by President Coolidge to put a stop to the activities of a naval "junta" which is seeking to make it appear that the budget bureau is trying to "junk" the navy.

Angered by the flood of inspired propaganda aimed at the bureau at a time when the 1925 naval estimates were being prepared for congress, Mr. Coolidge has called Mr. Wilbur to take charge of his department and put a stop to it.

This version of the summons which caused Wilbur to jump into an airplane at San Diego yesterday and start post-haste to Washington was given to the United Press today by an unquestioned authority.

Lomax Gets Latest In Matter of Letters

Something new in the art of letter writing reached G. K. Lomax, city tax collector and assessor, in the morning mail one day this week. "Of all the letters I ever received, this one is the best," Lomax said, and here it is:

Mr. G. K. Lomax

Secretary City Board

Dear sir I had a Card from the City To Meet the Board

On Th 27 of Aug For give my Assessed

I Cannot rich

I got the same thing what I had last year

One Ford since 1919, 1920

except I Both a new Ford, A Roster, now if you place will you fix that up for me

"From your truly"

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